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SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO M'KINNEY DEC. 22

Santa Claus is coming to McKinney!

Definite announcement of the time of his arrival and plans for his reception while here was made today by the program committee of the Retail Merchants asociation, who have in charge this phase of the Christmas program in McKinney.

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Santa will arrive at 10 o'clock Saturday, Dec. 22. Thousands of kiddies from all parts of the county are expected to be here, accompanied by their parents to see St. Nicholas and to tell him what they want him to leave them on Christmas eve.

Santa will be in town again Monday, Dec. 24. On that night, Christmas eve, he will be the busiest person abroad in the land as he hurries here and there dispensing gifts and leaving Christmas cheer in thousands of homes. Local merchants are anticipating one of the largest crowds of the fall and winter season to be in McKinney to greet the patron saint of childhood Saturday and Monday, Dec. 22 and 24.

Buying has been brisk in local business houses during the fall season, with a noticeable pickup as the holiday season arrived. The past week-end was one of the best, from a business standpoint, in the city in some time and each day hundreds are visiting local merchants to obtain Christmas gifts for relatives and friends.

Mayor Joe E. Largent, general chairman of the pre-holiday program in the city, has announced that decoration will be in place and lights turned on in business and residential districts Saturday, December 15.

SEWING ROOM PROJECT TO BE OPENED HERE

According to County Administrator H. B. Bickers of the local relief office, that organization has already secured approval and is preparing to commence immediately on a sewing room project, where comforts, quilts, dresses, shirts, underclothes and various other articles of wearing apparel will be made for those on the relief rolls in this county. Material has already been ordered.

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Mr. Bickers states that this sewing project will be housed in the building just north of the relief office and south of the interurban station.

Claud Foster, manager of the county farm, went down to Dallas today (Wednesday) to bring back some of the material which will be used in this work, including twenty bales of cotton batts, 8,000 yards of comforter covering, 1,000 yards of toweling, 1,000 yards of terry toweling, 1,000 yards of 45-inch sheeting, and 1,000 yards of 80-inch sheeting.

This new project is a most important one since the winter season is fast setting in now. There will be a greater need throughout the winter months for clothes and this work will help supply that need. The women on the relief rolls will be used to make these articles of wearing apparel. Mr. Bickers states that work will start immediately and in a few days workmen are expected to be turning out these clothes.

SOME RED CROSS CONTRIBUTIONS BEING RECEIVED

Chairman Earl Walker, of the Red Cross Roll Call drive in this city, announces that scattering contributions to this worthy, humanitarian cause are still coming in. According to Mr. Walker, the final date for the payment of contributions or memberships will be on Tuesday, December 11, at which time all chairmen will file their final report.

So far, Chairman Walker says the work has progressed splendidly in the city, approximately $450 having been contributed to this worthy cause in the drive to date.

If you wish to contribute or join the Red Cross, get in touch with Chairman Earl Walker or some of his co-workers. They will be glad to receive your contribution.

W. O. Huggins, editor of the Houston Chronicle and former chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Texas, died at his home in Houston Tuesday night.

COTTON GROWERS WILL VOTE ON BANKHEAD ACT

Attention of cotton growers in the county is called to the election on the Bankhead act on Friday, Dec. 14. "Don't fail to vote," warns Farm Agent Jack McCullough and M. E. Patterson, who is in charge of the Bankhead act program in the county. The election will be held from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the following places:

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Farmersville, Old Legion hall.
McKinney, witness room, courthouse.
Frisco, bank building.
Celina, city hall.
Melissa, Nicholson building.
Westminster, J. L. Arrington building.
Princeton, bank building.
Nevada, Fred Caldwell building.
Allen, bank building.
Plano, city hall.
Prosper, Masonic building.
Weston, Dr. Bryant's office.
Blue Ridge, community hall.
Josephine, Beatty's store.
Lavon, D. L. Wilson garage.
Wylie, Hillis onion office.

Those eligible to vote are tenants, share-croppers, landowners or otherwise who produces cotton on any cotton farm, or part thereof. No tax receipt is required. "Vote in the territory where you signed contract," the agent advises.

Agent McCullough, Mr. Patterson and the county cotton committee, composed of W. M. Gibson, E. H. Bush and F. S. Waters, call attention to the fact that in 1932 the average price of lint cotton was 5 cents per pound, whereas in 1934 it was 12 cents per pound. Cotton seed, per ton, sold for $11 in 1932, whereas it has averaged $35 in price per ton this year.

Value of the line crop was $424,032,000 in 1932, value of the seed crop was $59,880,000 and the total value of the crop was $483,912,000 in 1932. However, in 1934, the value of the line was $618,516,000, value of the seed was $141,486,000, the total value of the crop being $759,972,000.

A heavy vote among farmers of the county is expected Dec. 14, when Collin cotton growers vote on the Bankhead act.

30-CENT MINIMUM PER HOUR FOR LABOR REMOVED

H. B. Bickers, administrator of the county relief board, announces that the thirty-cent minimum per hour for labor has been removed by order of Washington authorities. The county board has fixed the wages of common labor at fifteen cents an hour for the relief clients. This means more work for the money and also is in more conformity with prevailing farm labor. Heretofore, farmers have complained that the thirty cents per hour minimum wage made it impossible for them to employ labor to do farm work.

From $2 to $3 per day is out of the reach of the pocketbook of the farmers. Prices of their products will not justify it. Hence, the unemployed did not try to get work on their own initiative but preferred working on the relief rolls at about double the wages they could command on the farm.

Honor Roll At Womble School

Miss Willie Padgett and Dewer Price, teachers of the Womble school, announce the honor roll for that school as follows:

Fifth grade, Leo Bolles and Charline Recer.

Sixth grade, Jodie Recer and Raymond Lentz.

Womble is located two and a half miles southeast of Altoga. This two-teacher school is enjoying a successful school year this year.

Vice-President John N. Garner, accompanied by Mrs. Garner, are en route from their home, at Uvalde, Texas, to Washington for the opening of Congress, January 1.

Fire which broke out about 6:45 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning did considerable damage to the house and contents at 503 South Tennessee street, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott and Mrs. Lucille Herndon. The house was the property of Dr. J. A. Caldwell. The volunteer firemen were quickly on the scene, and did some good work although the blaze had gained much headway. Origin of the fire is unknown. [illegible] the home and contents

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, Judge.
Mrs. Euel Ford, Deputy.
L. A. Sears, Clerk.
W. C. Dowdy, County Attorney.
Leon Moses, Assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, Assistant.

Court Adjourned

The September term of District court adjourned Saturday afternoon. Judge Wilcox and Court Stenographer J. M. Muse went up to Sherman Monday and opened court in the Fifteenth District.

The next term of the Collin county court will convene Monday, Jan. 21, for an eight weeks session.

Attorney-Elect Horace H. Neilson, and assistant, Roland Boyd, will be the state's prosecutors in criminal cases during that and other terms during the next two years.

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New Suits

Ida Alley vs. Wayne Alley, divorce and custody of child.

R. L. Russell vs. Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Ry. Co., damages.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, Judge
Mrs. Pearl Strother, Clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, Chief Deputy.

Probate

Evidence in the case, Estate John H. Ferguson, deceased, contest of Will was heard before Judge Harrington, Monday. The court admitted the Will which was filed on October 19th by Dr. W. T. Hoard as executor, for probate. The contestant, Mrs. Mary F. Eller filed notice of appeal to the District court. J. E. Gibson, who was apointed some time ago as temporary administrator of the estate, will continue in that capacity, during the period of contest.

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Marriage License

Henry Frazier and Elsie Owens.
M. V. Dickerson and Emma May Chastain.
E. L. Lester and Ruby Lee Henson.
Lake Murphy and Alice Herod.
Carlos D. Gentle and Katherine Scroggins.
W. E. Geren and Winnie Hopkins.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, Constable.
Bill Herndon, Deputy.

The constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week with pleas of guilty: Four for affray; six for disturbance; three for violation of traffic law; two for theft; charges filed against a party for theft over $50.00—party in jail; charges filed against three parties for burglary—all in jail.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS

G. J. S. Walker, Sheriff.
Jim Douglas, Office Deputy.
George Eubanks, Riding Deputy
A. G. Sparlin, Special Deputy.
Stony Allen, Jailer.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice court: One for theft; two for affray; three for drunkenness; charges filed against two parties for possession of liquor—bond made; charges filed against a party for driving while intoxicated—bond made.

Schedule Sunday Services Nevada Methodist Church

Rev. F. Lamar McGown, pastor of the Nevada Methodist church, announces services for next Sunday, December 9, as follows:

Church school, 10 a. m. John LaRue, general superintendent.

Morning worship, 11 o'clock. Pastor's subject, "Christ Preeminent."

Evening worship, 7 o'clock. Subject, "A Christian Strategy for a Pagan World."

Young people's auxiliaries, 6 p. m.

Missionary society, Monday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock.

Midweek service, Wednesday, 7 o'clock, followed by choir practice.

Rev. McGown says, "The membership of this congregation is interested in those who have no church affiliation and extend along with the pastor a cordial invitation to frequent these services. The general public is invited. The membership is expected to stand upon their [illegible]

COTTON RED CROSS TO ELECT DECEMBER 11

Plans are being made by Prof. W. S. Smith, chairman of the Collin County Red Cross chapter for the regular monthly meeting of that humanitarian organization, directors and others interested, to be held at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, December 11, at the local Chamber of commerce hall.

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This meeting is more important than usual, because of the fact that it is the date for the annual election of officers. Therefore, Prof. Smith, is anxious for a full attendance of directors to be present. He states that the Red Cross has a very important mission to fulfill in these stressful times, and the Collin County chapter must continue to carry on with loyalty and fidelity as it has been doing ever since the World war broke nearly twenty years ago.

Prof. Smith has had an active part in the American Red Cross activities in Collin county ever since it was first organized. He has served the past two or three years as county chairman and a few years ago occupied the same position for several years.

Chas. E. Graves is the efficient secretary of the county chapter. He is secretary of the Retail Merchants association with his office in the Chamber of Commerce headquarters on the second floor of the Pope theater building.

Directors of the county organization are:

Mrs. Chas. Waide, Miss Helen Dunlap, Prof. W. S. Smith, J. Ed Gibson, F. C. Thompson, Tom M. Scott, Walter B. Wilson, C. M. Cooper, W. Hammond Moore, Dr. P. D. Robason, Dr. Bryce Miller, Rev. R. L. Cowan, Henry W. Warden, Carl E. Melton, Orlia J. Moss, Hon. W. P. (Billy) Abernathy, C. E. Graves and Mrs. W. H. Wiley.

Robert L.Smith , 48, of 5537 Mercedes street, Dallas, died suddenly while parked in an automobile on a Fort Worth street, Tuesday, in Fort Worth. Mr. Smith was a brother of Mrs Nora Compton of McKiney.

Extensive improvements have recently been made upon Mrs. R. D. Shults' home, corner of North Bradley and West Lamar streets.

Mrs. J. G. Gross, residing on West Hunt street, has recently had her home nicely re-roofed and other improvements made.

John Brewer, a veteran R. F. D. carrier out of Celina, transacted business in McKinney. He is a longtime friend of this editor. We were happy to shake his friendly hand again.

Good homes continue to change hands in McKinney. J. M. Foster, cashier and bookkeeper for the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette has bought the nice old home place of T. F. Everett (known as the Capt. Board home), corner West Tucker and North Bradley streets, one of the nicest residential sections of the city. The house and lot belonged to A. C. Bullock Sr., Tom W. Perkins and Frank Blackwell of the McKinney Realty company, selling this nice home to Mr. Foster. The lot is 117x100 paved on both streets, with a good nine-room home, having all modern conveniences. Mr. Foster and family will occupy their new home at once.

The City Federation met in the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, for a called session. Mrs. E. L. Burton, the president, presided, fourteen members being present. The constitution and by-laws were read and amended at the meeting.

L. V. Reed, living on Route 1, Princeton, enrolls for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the ensuing year. The paper only costs him a dollar. He and his family could hardly spend a dollar that would bring them more pleasure and news of their home county happenings every week throughout the year than a dollar invested in the Democrat-Gazette, Collin county's oldest newspaper.

J. S. McWilliams, Route 1, Princeton, pays in $1.50, price for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and Semi-Weekly Farm News, both one year each, for only $1.50. Mr. McWilliams wants to keep informed on his home county news. Hence, he takes Collin's oldest newspaper, the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, now serving its fifty-first year. He will also get by this club arrangement state, national and world-wide news through the columns of the Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Mrs. T. S. Montgomery has returned to her home in Huntsville after a [illegible] with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Mc-

BOYD HIGH HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED

Prof. Lyman D. Robinson, principal of the Boyd High school, announces the honor roll of students making an "A" average in all subjects during the second six weeks period, as follows:

High Eleven, Ruby L. Cantrell and Ruth Marcom.

Low Eleven, Rebecca Wilson.

High Ten, none.

Low Ten, Martell Smith.

High Nine, Addison Wilson, Hattie Hight.

Low Nine, Ada Zoe Ballard, Elizabeth Barlow, Eddie Brown, Edgar Shults, Aubrey Hamilton, William Nelson, Hubbert Evans, Ethlyne Gettings, Mary Ann Hendricks and Jeannette Adair.

F. B. Jones, an East Collin citizen who gets his mail on Route 4, Farmersville, is a late addition to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. It costs him only $1.00 for a whole year, which is less than two cents per copy by the week during the year.

Raymond Nelson has accepted a position with the McKinney Dry Goods store as salesman in the men's furnishings department. Mr. Nelson is a courteous, capable young man and invites his friends to call on him. H. W. Henley is manager of this big local dry goods store.

J. F. Rutherford wishes to keep abreast of his home county news. Hence, hands in a dollar for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the ensuing year. He gets his mail on Route 5, McKinney.

Mrs. J. J. Watson, who resides on North Sherman street, has returned from a three weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Hill, 1630 Kinmore, Dallas.

The Plano High Wildcats, champions of District 9-B, of the Texas Interscholastic League 1934 football race, will meet the powerful Vocational High Warriors of Fort Worth, at Plano, for the bi-district championship Friday afternoon, December 7, at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Maurine Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Andrews of Farmersville and Melvin Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Durham, of near that city, were married in Farmersville. The couple will reside in the Sister Grove community, where the bride has been teaching and the groom is engaged in farming.

Doyle Morrison of this city sustained injuries late Tuesday afternoon when struck by a truck on East Virginia street. He was taken to the city hospital by the Isaac Crouch ambulance where a broken bone and other injuries were treated and where he is resting fairly well today (Wednesday).

Mrs. W. A. Matthews, formerly of Renner, died in a Dallas sanitarium, following an operation to which she recently submitted. Her husband, two sons, W. A. Jr. and Tom, of Dallas and a daughter, Miss Mary Routh, of Chicago, survive.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Erwin Sr. have returned from a very pleasant Thanksgiving visit of several days at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. E. M. Munroe and wife, at Houston. Mrs. Munroe was formerly Miss Marguerite Erwin of this city. Her husband is pastor of the Second Presbyterian church of the City of Houston.

John W. Berry, an outstanding McKinney citizen, transacted business in McKinney yesterday. These editors had the pleasure of shaking his hand as we met him on our streets in company with his brother, G. T. (Taylor) Berry, another fine man who lives on his farm, almost adjacent to the North McKinney city limits.

Thanks to Mrs. L. N. Ballard, Route 3, McKinney, for a dollar to enroll her name on the Weekly Democrat-Gazette's subscription list for the ensuing year. She also takes the Semi-Weekly Farm News at clubbing rate with our paper. Those papers are a dollar each unless taken together, in which event both cost you only $1.50.

W. J. Foster, a highly esteemed farmer of the Weston community, transacted business in McKinney Saturday. This editor had the pleasure of greeting him as he was in company with his brother, E. G. Foster of Lockney, Floyd county, West Texas, who with his wife, are visiting their old Collin county home and relatives in and around Weston. E. G. Foster was born and reared in Collin county but moved way in 1890. He says that a vast change in our county—in both population and physical improvements—have taken place in the forty-four years that he has been [illegible]

THREE HURT IN HIGHWAY ACCIDENT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

OCCURRED FEW MILES SOUTHWEST OF CITY; INJURED TREATED HERE

Mrs. Nerlia Hicks, 55, of Red Oak, Oklahoma, is a patient in the McKijnney City hospital suffering from a broken rightlimb sustained in an automobile accident occurring a few miles southwest of this city on the McKinney-Frisco highway about 9 o'clock Wednesday night.

In the car with Mrs. Hicks were her brother, W. M. Adams and wife, also of Red Oak, Mr. Adams driving the car. It is said that the Oklahoma car plunged into the trailer of a truck, the sudden impact hurling Mrs. Hicks, who was in the back seat, to the floor, fracturing her limb, as previously mentioned.

All three were treated at the city hospital here. They were en route to Judkin, Texas. Mrs. Hicks was the worst injured of the group, Mr. and Mrs. Adams sustaining only minor bruises and abrasions.

Will N. Griffin of Colorado Springs, Colorado, is visiting his brother, Byron Griffin, and sister, Miss Lockie Griffin, on North Kentucky street, for a few days. Mr. Griffin was born and reared west of McKinney and once lived in McKinney where he was engaged in selling farm implements for a number of years.

Jim Sparlin, well-known McKinney contractor and carpenter, has about completed some improvements on Mrs. J. H. H. Berry's home on South Bradley street. A nice roof and other improvements were made.

DORMANT SEASON BEST FOR SETTING OUT TREES

Jim Lewis, manager and proprietor of the McKinney Retail Nursery yard, located in the block north of the post office building, is using our clasified columns to remind our readers that it will pay them to visit his place of business for anything in his line. He has everything for your yard or orchard. He is in a position to provide you with any sort of shrubs or trees that you may desire, and he invites your inquiries about the matter. This is the dormant season of the year the right time to set out roses, shade trees and fruit trees. He has what you want at the right kind of prices. If you prefer him to, he will set out your purchases in this line for the bare cost of the labor.

Mr. Lewis has had six or eight years experience as a nurseryman. He has recently added to his equipment by building a small greenhouse to take care of his early spring trade in plants.

R. A. McClendon and son, Pierce, were business visitors in McKinney Wednesday. Mr. McClendon is a prominent member of the Methodist church at Nevada, of which Rev. F. Lamar McGown became pastor recently. Mr. McGown was pastor of the South Wilcox Methodist church at McKinney before being changed to Nevada by Bishop Smith at the annual conference held at Dallas during the latter part of October. Mr. McClendon states that Rev. Mr. McGown and wife entertained the members of the quarterly conference at their parsonage home Tuesday night. A fine time was had socially. Mrs. McGown served the guests a fine turkey dinner.

K. Hays of Princeton, who bought the F. S. Howell 230-acre farm, near Altoga, from Tom W. Perkins and Frank Blackwell of the McKinney Realty Co., was in and closed up the deal. This good place belongs to Frank Howell, who was born and reared in McKinney, but for the past several years has resided at Ozark, Alabama, Mr. Howell being a son of Mrs. Sarah Howell of our city. The deal was a cash one and we congratulate Mr. Hays in owning this good farm and stock farm and thank Mr. Howell for his business.

J. T. West, city marshal and general utility manager and collector of the little city of Princeton, was a business visitor in McKinney, Monday. He is one of the West Bros. who have long been prominent, esteemed citizens and business leaders at Princeton.

Miss Kate Ryan of Lavon, one of our county's best-known teachers, now teaching at Cottonbelt, east of Wylie, was a visitor at our office Saturday. She subscribed for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for which we thank her.

STOVER TULEY IS RECAPTURED; BACK IN JAIL

Stover Tuley, young 20-year-old prisoner who walked out of jail at McKinney one month ago from mistaken identity, was recaptured about 11 o'clock Tuesday night seven miles east of Van Alstyne while he was visiting at the home of a married sister. He was arrested by Sheriff G. J. S. Walker and his two deputies, George Eubanks and A. G. Sparlin, who were also accompanied by two deputy sheriffs—from Grayson county.

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Young Tuley was under a total of thirty-one years penitentiary sentences for hijacking. Two of his victoms were the C. H. Watts filling station and store in the eastern part of McKinney and Bryson's filling station and store just west of here. He is also wanted in Denton county for similar crimes.

He readily surrendered without resistence when he realized that the house was surrounded by officers.

It will be remembered that the McKinney jailer was phoned from the courthouse to release three prisoners and did so. However, one of the three intended to be released was asleep in his cell. Noting this, Tuley, calmly walked out with the other two. His close resemblance to the sleeping prisoner intended to be released, nabled him to walk out unmolested and disappear, since which time Sheriff Walker and deputies have been vigilently following his trail and finally bagged their elusive prsoner again, who is now behind the bars in the Collin county bastile here at McKinney again.

APPEAL MADE FOR DSCARDED, WORNOUT TOYS

An appeal for discarded toys, which they will make like new, is being made by members of the local American Legion post, of which H. H. Standley is post commander. The legion, together with the local relief office, of which H. B. Bickers is county relief administrator, recently set up toy headquarters in the vacant building just north of the relief office and south of the interurban station building.

A call was sent out over the city and county for toys, but thus far the response has not been what the legionnaires and relief workers anticipated. They believe that in scores of homes over the city and county there are old and discarded toys, which the kiddies have tired of, and which are of no more use to the household. These, the legionnaires point out, would be appreciated at toy headquarters on North Kentucky street, where they will be worked over, painted, made like new and dispensed in the city and county among the underprivileged kiddies at Christmas.

The relief office has provided several workmen, who are in readiness at all times to work over the toys for this purpose. Those in charge of this important Yuletide activity will appreciate your bringing toys by their office. If you will call telephone No. 302, a representative will gladly call at your home for same. In this manner you will be helping to spread Christmas joy and cheer to little boys and girls who, otherwise, might not receive a visit from Santa Claus Christmas eve.

The legionnaires and relief workers are hopeful that this appeal for old toys not go unheeded and bear results, so that workmen will be kept busy from now until Christmas making them new again.

Artie McGuffey, a young man of Pike in the Northeast portion of Collin, was a business caller at our office Monday. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. McGuffey, an esteemed couple of the Pike section of our county. His mother is correspondent of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazett at Pike. Artie is a brother of Murriel McGuffey of the North Side Barber shop of this city. Artie recently returned from a visit to his brother, J. Watson McGuffey, who lives at Wellington, in Collinsworth county, West Texas.

Mrs. J. A. Sparkman and son, John L., Mrs. Clarence Woosley, all of Trenton, were recently injured in Greenville. Miss Evelyn Woolsey and Mrs. Lawton, also occupants of the car, escaped injury. All are expected to recover.

Prof. George R. Robinson and wife of Sedalia (Independence) attended the Texas State Teachers meeting last week in Galveston.

COLD WEATHER PREVAILS TODAY IN CITY, COUNTY

The continued cold weather, which has been in evidence in McKinney for the past several days, again prevailed Wednesday morning, when another big white frost was visible, the thermometer standing at 29 degrees. The mercury, which has descended below the freezing range during each of these first five days of December, registered the same as Tuesday morning.

The frost was possibly the heaviest of the year. Ice was to be seen in many places.

Clouds which blew up from the north quickly shut out sun during the early morning hours and a partially cloudy day was forecast.

McKinney citizens are now fast becoming accustomed to this unusual early December weather and are enjoying the frosty nights and crisp, cool days.

GOOD WORK IS BEING DONE BY RELIEF OFFICE

The last of the 300 goats have been distributed to the relief clientele by H. B. Bickrs, administrator of the county relief board of this city. The fat goats were shipped in just three or four days. One animal was given to a family, the recipient having to slaughter it and return the pelt to Mr. Bickers office.

A large shipment of very fine quality of Irish potatoes was recently received and are likewise being distributed.

Th county farm of which Claud Foster is manager has just delivered 595 cans of excellent syrup made from cane grown on the farm and made up on the farm. This syrup was donated to the county relief organization headed by Mr. Bickers.

Practically all of the 150 new mattresses recently obtained by Mr. Bickers for use of Collin county needy families have been distributed. Probably, not more than a half dozen remain on hand yet.

This county has a relief organization that is operating smoothly and efficiently. Actual needs are being cared for by cautious but efficient case workers and personal investigators that prevent useless leaks or extravagances in food, clothing and other necessities on those who do not absolutely stand in need of them.

Charlie Angel of this city, accompanied by his brothers-in-law, Robert Fisher, of Longview, and Mert Garrett, of Arlington, are enjoying a hunting trip in South Texas. Mrs. Garrett is spending the time with her sister, Mrs. Angel and little son, Charlie Angel II, while her husband is away.

Mrs. J. C. Erwin Jr. and children left Sunday evening for Ripley, Tennessee, in response to a message informing her that her mother is very ill. Her sister, Mrs. Wilson Erwin of Dallas left that city Saturday evening for Ripley on a like errand to be with her sick mother.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(December 3, 1909.)

W. D. O'Gwinn has moved his cabinet and repair shop to the first door north of Allen's Meat market.

Boss Apple has been doing some papering and painting at the county jail. Boss claims that this is the first time that he has ever been in jail.

W. P. Mallow, a fireman on the Katy out of Denison, has returned to his duties after visiting his brother, G. F. Mallow, here. Mr. McKinney, who is a conductor on the interurban.

J. H. Blankenship has sold his store in the east part of McKinney to Furr & Mallow Bros. and expects to move in a few days to Tulsa, Oklahoma, to make his future home.

The barber shop of John Weavers on South Tennessee street caught fire from an oil stove about 6:30 o'clock last evening, causing much excitement for a while.

George W. Fox has bought the business lot, 67x200 feet on East Virginia street, from the Morphews. He will erect three business houses on the site in the near future.

FARMERS TO LEARN MORE ABOUT COTTON REDUCTION PROGRAM FOR NEXT YEAR

A series of meetings, beginning Wednesday night, December 5, will be held over the county this week with cotton producers for the purpose of giving them information regarding the cotton reduction program for 1935 and the election which is to be held on the Bankhead act on December 14, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

This announcement was made today by County Farm Agent Jack McCullough, who will sponsor the meetings, assisted by M. D. Patterson, in charge of the Bankhead act in this county.

Prof. J. T. Rollins, vocational agriculture instructor of the McKinney High school, will lead the discussion.

The schedule of the meetings follows:

Bloomdale, Wednesday night, December 5, at 7:15 p. m.

Melissa, Thursday afternoon, December 6, at 2 p. m.

Prosper, Saturday morning, December 8, at 10 a. m.

McKinney, Saturday afternoon, December 8, at 2:30 p. m.

Allen, Monday night, December 10, at 7:15 p. m.

Chambersville, Tuesday night, December 11, at 7:15 p. m.

OVER $28,000 IN COTTON, WHEAT CHECKS RECEIVED FOR FARMERS OF COUNTY

County Farm Agent Jack P. McCullough announces that a total of 689 more Second Rental Cotton Payment checks were received by himself and M. E. Patterson, Bankhead Law supervisor, at the agent's office late Monday afternoon. These checks total $19,684.42 for cooperating Collin county farmers.

Agent McCullough also announces that a total of 111 wheat payment checks totaling $8,924, were also received. Notices have been mailed to all partics due to receive these checks and receipts sent also, so that if they are busy and can not come to town to properly carry on the transfer they may do so by mail.

No parity payment checks have been received as yet, according to the officials. However, there are yet 1,100 or 1,200 more rental payment checks to be received for farmers all over the county.

This last payment brings the total number of checks received to 4,877, and the total amount to $184,024.45.

R. O. COX HAS BEEN 59 YEARS COLLIN RESIDENT

Our office was brightened Monday by a welcome call from our longtime faithful friend and Daily Courier-Gazette subscriber R. O. Cox, of Roland. Mr. Cox renewed his subscription until February 12, 1935.

This date has special significance inasmuch as it will be his seventy-fourth birthday anniversary. He was born, February 14, 1861, in Ray county, Missouri, and when only fourteen years old, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cox, both now deceased, moved to Texas and settled in the Roland community where the son has been living for practically fifty-nine years. Mr. Cox carries his seventy-four years so well physically that he is easily taken to be a man of not more than sixty. He has made and is making a most useful, honored citizen of his community and county. He has a cheerful outlook on life and says this is a good old world that he has enjoyed passing through and in which he hopes to remain many more years yet. These editors greatly appreciate him as a personal friend and as a business patron and reader of our Daily for many years.

Prof. S. C. Stephens, who is conducting night classes at his home on North College street, held a very interesting class period last Friday night. Soon after the lessons were over Prof. Stephens served delightful refreshments and a happy social hour was enjoyed. There were twelve guests present to enjoy the occasion as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wester; Mrs. Joe McCullough and sons, Joe and Lloyd; Mrs. Ona Waddill, Clyde Chandler Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chaney and daughter, Rosa Nell; Raymond Shoemake and Miss Ica Lou Cross. Prof. Stephens is one of the teachers employed in the district by the government in teaching government classes for adult persons.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(December 2, 1909.)

Miss Cora Winkles visited some folks at Allen yesterday.

Mrs. Forrest K. Sneed of Princeton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mayhew.

Cottonseed are selling at from $28 to $30 per ton, while lint cotton is bringing 13.50 to 13.75 cents per pound.

Dudley Perkins is here from Bryan. He will go to Wichita Falls in a few days to finish up the cotton season.

Luther Snider has moved to town from the Lucas community. He is a mighty fine young fellow has leased City Secretary R. L. Powell's ten-acre place on South Tennessee street, which he will operate.

Weedon Franklin has returned from a three weeks trip to various points on the Pacific Coast. He went to Seattle with two fine pony horses that he shipped to his brother, Lieutenant Elkin Franklin of the Thirteenth United States Cavalry in the Philippine Islands. While gone Weedon visited Spokane, Portland, and Los Angeles. During his absence his mail route, McKinney No 4, was delivered by Clifford Thom-

MELISSA

Mrs. Ethel Bridgefarmer

County Commissioner Don O. Davis was here on business Saturday.

Lee Hedgcoxe, florist, of McKinney was a visitor here Monday of this week.

Mancil McKinney of Anna, who is one of the federal relief supervisors for this district, was here on his regular run Wednesday.

Mrs. A. J. Martin who suffered a serious stroke of paralysis some three weeks ago is slowly improving.

Mrs. Sebe Matler is in bed suffering with a case of lumbago. Mrs. Hatler is soon to be ninety years old as her birthday is December 9th.

Mrs. Emmett Commons, who has been nursing Dr. Mantooth's mother in Altoga, is home for several days' visit with her family.

M. P. Martin of Tyler, who spent two weeks here with his mother, Mrs. A. J. Martin, who has been seriously ill, returned to his home leaving his wife here to help with Mrs. Martin.

Dr. and Mrs. Bridgefarmer and the latter's cousin, Harry Lair Jr., went to Anna Thursday night to attend a meeting in the interest of the town and highway beautification and for plans for a park.

Beverly Robinson of McKinney, who is supervisor over the park project of the county, was here looking over the work done on our park and which is progressing nicely.

H. G. Floyd of Dallas, assistant superintendent of the Texas Traction company line, and Mrs. Burdette of Sherman and Mr. Bridges of McKinney were here Saturday to look over the bridge work, street crossing and dirt moving to be done by their company in connection with the extensive program being carried out by the aGrden club with the aid of the relief administration and county commissioner, Don O. Davis.

Don O. Davis, county commissioner, was here looking over the work being done by his bridge foreman, Joe Bunch and Jim Phillips. Mr. Davis is opening a block of Paris treet, putting in two bridges on that street and also putting in two bridges on the driveway in the park. Mr. Davis is one of the best commissioners that we have ever had in office and one of the most courteous and gentlemanly fellows that we have met. He is ever ready to help a community do something for itself and encourage clean-ups, straighten-up, by beautification plans.

Mrs. Clarence Loftice and daughter, Miss Lesh, of McKinney visited here briefly Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Loftice and family lived here for many years and had been in the garage business for several years before moving to McKinney in the late summer.

Miss Mildred Jordan gave a party for Mrs. Giles of Chambersville Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Alvin Lindsey here. Mrs. Giles was born and reared here, being Miss Mary Edna Graves, daughter of Mrs. Mary Graves and granddaughter of the late George Graves and the late Charley Jordan. Several ladies were invited from Chambersville where Mrs. Giles now lives. A surprise shower was given the honoree at which time many lovely gifts were presented. Hot chocolate and cake were served to twelve guests.

Clubs for women existed in this country before the United States became a nation.

Real Estate Transfers

The following transactions of real estate have been filed for record since last week:

United Sav. bank, to G. A. Sullivan, lots in McKinney, $1250.

A. C. Carrell et al to Mrs. Martha Ann Furr, lots in McKinney, 475.

Eunice Atkinson to Chandler Atkinson, 63.81½ acres in G. A. Foote survey, $xxx.

Eunice Atkinson to Chandler Atkinson, 314.27 acres in J. R. Gray et al survey, $xx.

M. C. Powell and wife to Franklin Life Ins. Co., 176½ acres in Thos. Rattan et al survey, $12,000.

Sarah A. Loftice to Mallow Graves, lots in Melissa, $750.

H. S. Wysong and wife to Sarah A. Loftice, lots in Melissa, $500.

L. A. Martin and wife to J. L. Rees, 1-5 interest of ½ 21 acres in H. Thompson survey, $50.

W. G. Sams and wife to Ivy (Mrs.M.M.) Johnson, lots in McKinney, $1000.

L. L. Davis and wife to J. P. Hays, 30.10 acres in Wm. Davis survey, $x.

W. V. Moore and wife to C. E. Kennemer, 233. 3acres in J. V. Mounts et al survey, $13,666.-50.

J. P. Hays and wife to L. M. Milstead, 30.10 acres in Wm. Davis survey, $xx.

Blackland Townsite Co., to Red River & So. Ry. Co. 20 2-10 acres in James Bolin et al survey, $1515.

Mrs. Sallie Robinson et al to W. C. Cameron, lots in Farmersville, $80.

Fanny L. Mulry Guardian's Deed to J. W. Calhoun, 6 3-4 acres in Jno. Davis survey, $400.

Robert C. Mulry to J. W. Calhoun, 1-8 interest in 53 1-4 acres in Jno. Davis survey, $xxx.

O. L. Faires and wife to L. L. Dals, 68 1-6 acres in Jno. Chapman et al survey, $500.

Theo. Bozeman and wife to D. E. Meuir, lots in Plano, $125.

Mollie Harnill et al to H. P. Hamill, lots in McKinney, $75.

R. L. Moulden et al to J. F. Dearing, 41 1-7 acres in L. K. Pegues survey, $2262.55.

Miss L. M. Stubblefield to R. S. Sutherland, lots in Josephine, $250.

James Great and wife to L. H. McCleary and wife, 20 acres in R. Sparks survey, $1150.

L. W. Shewbert and wife to Allie Coleman Pierce, 55.64 acres in James Fisher survey, $1000.

Ida Linnie Cook, et vir to A. B. Cave, 100.14 acres in M. Hart et al survey, $2100.

E. J. Spalding and wife to A. F. Smith, lots in Frisco,$2000.

United Sav. bank Det. to R. E. Gordon, lots in McKinney, $1650.

G. W. Hoffman and wife to J. C. Deaver, 48.68 acres in E. D. L. Moore, $1344.83.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reed of Lampasas Parents-Baby Girl

Relatives in McKinney have received announcement of the birth of a fine eight-pound baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. (Eugene) Reed at their home in Lampasas, Texas, at 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. The mother and sweet little baby daughter are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Reed was, before her marriage, Miss Sue Parris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Parris, residing between Melissa and Anna. She is a sister of Mrs. C. R. Coffey and Mrs. J. B. McKinney, both residing on North Kentucky street, this city. Mrs. T. A. Parris is attending the bedside of her daughter and young granddaughter. Mr. Reed is connected with the Texas Power & Line company at Lampasas and was connected with the same company before their removal there.

SISTER OF MRS. TULLY B. LUCAS PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Cleve Cooper died at her late home in Malakoff last (Tuesday) morning following several years of failing health. The body was brought to the home of her sister, Mrs. Tully B. Lucas, in the Woodlawn community, to await funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at McLarry cemetery where interment was made. Rev. A. H. Snider conducted the services while the Isaac Crouch Funeral home had charge of funeral arrangements.

The deceased was, before her marriage, Miss Sallie McLarry, being a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McLarry, pioneer couple of this county. She was born and reared in the Wilmeth community, and was about fifty years old at the time of her death. She is survived by her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Chilton Derden, of Dallas, and two grandchildren, A. Brother, Don McLarry of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Lucas of the Woodlawn community are the other survivors.

Joe Crouch of Dallas was greeting his many friends here Wednesday. Lived here for many years, being engaged in business. Has lived in Dallas for the past twenty years.

WHITE'S GROVE

Mrs. W. J. Childress, cor.

Grady Bolin visited Woodrow Childress Saturday.

Hattie Geneva Ross visited her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Marshall, of Foote last week.

R. D. Pitchlym and Frank Lawrence of Oklahoma visited in this community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams of Parker visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Grogan.

Nick Marshall of Wylie was visiting in our community this week.

Mrs. Mattie Granstaff visited her ssiter, Mrs. Effie Marshall, of near Foote last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lindsey attended the funeral of Mr. Giles at Westminster last aSturday.

Miss Alta and Josie Childress visited friends at Lewisville recently.

Miss Essie Sutherland, our teacher, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sutherland, of Prosper.

Mrs. Mattie Granstaff has returned to her home at Garland after spending several days with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Childress.

MRS. J. P. NENNEY IS INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

McKINNEY WOMAN'S INJURIES TREATED AT CITY HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. P. Nenney of this city is a patient in the city hospital, suffering from a broken right arm and other injuries, sustained in an automobile accident that occurred about 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the intersection of Mockingbird lane, on Greenville avenue, Dallas, while returning home from a visit in that city.

In the car with Mrs. Nenney were Mrs. L. M. Shibe of Plano; two McKinney boys, Moral Hutchins and Jack Dowell, and the colored driver, none of whom was injured. Mrs. Harrington, wife of County Judge J. Frank Harrington, who was likewise returning home from Dallas, stopped at the scene of the accident, bringing Mrs. Nenney to McKinney. An x-ray examination revealed her right arm fractured just above the elbow. The broken member was set and other injuries treated by Drs. Erwin and Erwin.

The accident is said to have occurred when a car, driving in front and in the same direction of the Nenney car, stopped suddenly, the Nenney car striking it before the driver was able to stop the machine.

Thursday morning, Mrs. Nenney was resting as well as could be expected.

Mrs. G. A. Stephens, a daughter, of Kilgore, and W. F. Nenney, a son, of Tyler, came up to McKinney Wednesday night to be at their mother's bedside. Mr. Nenney was accompanied by his friend, Ed Catlett, of Tulsa, Okla.

You can not eat Johnson grass, but old Beck can. Here's 50 acres, two-thirds good land, black as your hat, almost entirely saturated with Johnson grass; not much improvements. Once would have sold for $5,000. Party will take off $4,000 and sell it to you for $1,000; $200 cash, balance $100 year at 6%. Is it worth $2,000? It is. Handled exclusively by the McKINNEY REALTY CO.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dysart returned to their home near Melissa after a delightful Thanksgiving holiday visit with relatives. They visited Mrs. Dysart's sisters, Mrs. J. H. Dorlich and family at Keen, Texas, and Mrs. J. H. Keith and family at Cleburne. They also visited in the home of Mrs. Hogue Coffman of Fort Worth, but formerly of Melissa. The latter lady has been quite ill for sometime but is now showing slight improvement. On their return home they stopped by Dallas for visits with their sons, Bland and Leland Dysart, and families.

Mrs. J. L. Todd gave a Thanksgiving dinner at her home on North Chestnut street Thanksgiving day. The guests on this occasion included the roomers in her home and a few out-of-town friends including Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duford of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Duford were recently married, the bride being Miss Connie Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward of Princeton, before her marriage, November 17. For the past four years she has been connected with the Payne Cowan company as designer and cutter. Mr. Duford was formerly of Los Angeles, Calif. The couple are making their home at the Ambassador hotel in Dallas.

A pie and box supper will be given at the White's Grove school on Friday night, December 7. The event is being sponsored by the P.-T. A. of that school. Two beautiful handmade quilts will be presented and a program of various entertainment is to be given. The general public is invited to go out Friday night and enjoy the occasion. The ladies of the P.-T. A. are using the columns of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette announcing the box supper.

B. T. Corry was in the city from Nevada. Recently bought him a good farm down there. While here, Mr. Corry enrolled for the big Weekly Democrat-Gazette for 1935. We thank him.

Among the eggs conditional and three full pardons granted by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson last week-end was a conditional pardon to Wilford Morrison of Collin county who was convicted for burglary, theft over $50 and violation of the Dean law in March, 1934, and who was given two years. Among the full pardons granted was one to Clarence Biggs, also of Collin county, who was serving a two years sentence for violating the Dean law.

Of course, you want to visit Curing 1935. Buy this 37-acre farm with good house and barn and immediate possession. $300 will do the act. Balance easy. Handled exclusively by THE McKINNEY REALTY CO.

100 acres, reasonably good land, deep well, good barn, sorry house, (might fix it up,) with very small cash payment and possession for 1935. Handled exclusively by the McKINNEY REALTY CO.

New brick suburban store, good stock of groceries; well built-up trade. Clear of debt. Will swap for a good farm and pay the spot cash difference. Naturally, no one is handling this exclusive bargain cept the McKINNEY REALTY CO.

W. T. Terrell who gets his mail on R. F. D. No. 1, Blue Ridge, is another brand new Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscriber.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and pretty little daughter, Billie Sue, of Howe.

Mrs. T. A. Parris, residing on Oak and Tennessee streets has had some nice improvements made on her home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harding are having extensive improvements made on their home, corner of Hunt and Bradley streets.

Who'll Be Your Santa Claus?

We offer our services. Nothing like a home - - a place to go. We have one for you. Pick it out by number, below, come in and see us. We'll Be Your SANTA CLAUS.

HAVE CASH BUYERS

For teams, tools, feed, farms 50, 100 and 150 with possession.

NO. 516.—40 acres level black and; no grasses; no improvements; two miles east Prosper. Possession.

NO. 556.—37 acres, good house and barn, five miles west of McKinney, possession. Small cash payment. Balance easy.

NO. 512—55 acres, saturated with Johnson grass as high as your head. Owner wants to part with it. Come in and make us an offer.

NO. 519.—175 acres east of Melissa; half good land; well improved. Possession. Best buy in county. $25. $1500 handle.

NO. 421.—Nice garage building, lot and living quarters, on Main No. 75 Highway, through, Melissa, for sale. Might take good car in as part payment.

NO. 502.—35 acres, 25 good, smooth, level, black land, near Melissa. Two room house, well, possession. Here is a nice little home.

NO. 520.—100 acres on pike; five miles southeast of McKinney; house, barn, water. 60 acres good land. Possession. Might take some trade.

NO. 517.—80 acres good, smooth, level black land; no improvements; five miles from McKinney on Celina pike; clear of debt.

NO. 560.—34 acres, 3 miles southeast McKinney on pike, 25 acres good land, good house and barn. Possession. Small cash payment, balance arranged.

NO. 539.—49 acres on Frisco pike, 9 miles west McKinney; nice 5-room house, good barn, water; 41 acres cultivation; possession.

NO. 582.—91 acres on McKinney-Celina pike; well improved; 75 acres cultivation, balance Bermuda pasture; being sheep proof. Is it a good one? It is.

NO. 588.—46 acres, 9 miles southwest McKinney, real, high-class land, no grasses, fair improvements; possession. Not a better farm in the county; small cash payment will handle.

NO. 527—40 acres, 38 acres in cultivation, good smooth, level land, good house and barn, double garage, plenty of water, good orchard. Possession. Already financed. Take good car and $500. Not in distress.

NO. 529—80 acres north of Farmersville, no improvements, formerly owned by K. M. Moore estate. Clear of debt. Take a little money, nice house and lot. Possession.

NO. 531.—160 acres, nigh class land, good improvements, good tenant house, all level, no grasses; good road on two sides. Don't answer this ad unless you want a sure enough farm. It's that.

NO. 421.—Nice garage building, lot and living quarters, on Main No. 75 Highway, through, Melissa, for sale. Might take good car in as part payments. See FRANK BLACKWELL with McKinney Realty Company, exclusive Agents.

NO. 548.—112 acres, 10 miles east of Farmersville, on dirt road, one-half mile east of Farmersville-Blue Ridge paved highway. 30 acres cultivated, 10 acres Bermuda meadow. Balance pasture. 4-room house, small barn. Gray loam soil.

NO 561.—40 acres good land, good house, barn, filling station, store. at Dump, near Wylie. Possession. Small cash payment, balance easy. Look it over and you will get a deed.

NO. 536.—330 acres near Prosper; about 250 acres in cultivation; extra good land; one set improvements; Highway 116 runs through it; possession. Nothing better. Extra bargain.

NO. 563.—100 acres, half mile west of Verona school and church, seven miles northeast of Princeton; on graded road, fairly good land, 2 sets improvements, good barn, plenty water, $500 cash handle, balance extra easy. Possession.

NO. 541.—211 acres, 3 miles east Plano, on gravel road to Murphy, black land, some white rock; 20 acres pasture; balance cultivation. Extra large two-story home, large barn, other out buildings. A real home. Wonderful location. Price right.

50 acres on pike, 5 miles Blue Ridge, good house, barn, water. $50 an acre. $500 cash will handle with possession for 1935.

NO. 552.—105 acres, five miles rom McKinney, between McKinney and Dallas, on Highway 75. Its a humdinger and perfect. Possession for 1935. Small cash payment or can pay all cash.

NO. 550.—50 acres, new house, barn, out buildings, water; six miles east of Blue Ridge; 46 acres cultivation, 4 acres pasture; possession 1935. This is good farm and you can buy it at a special bargain.

NO. 501.—122 acres, three miles southeast Melissa. About 115 acres in cultivation, being good, deep, smooth, black land; good four room house, barn, out houses, etc. You can have possession.

No. 467.—Have 12-acres (clear, valley land,) near Edinburg; all in cultivation; trade for Collin county land. See FRANK BLACKWELL, Manager of the McKinney Realty Co.

NO. 555—36 acres, all in cultivation, five acres in Alfalfa, good four room house, good barn, plenty of water; four miles northeast from Weston. Only $50 per acre. Small cash payment. Balance easy payments, six per cent. It's a nice home. See it.

NO. 543.—214 acres rolling land; located 5 miles east Prosper, 11 miles northwest McKinney; located half-mile good country school; 180 acres upland cultivated; 13 acres level bottom land, subject to overflow; 22 acres pasture. Ideal farm for farming and stock raising; good 7-room dwelling, barn, grainery and machine shed; two good wells. You'll be surprised at the low price.

NO. 549.—282 acres, 3 miles north of Princeton on graded road. 75 acres very fertile branch valley meadow, 100 acres level to gently rolling cultivated upland. Balance rolling prairie pasture. Five large barns, ranging in size from 30x40 feet to 60x80 feet. Three good frame residences. 200-ton concrete silo. This is a most excellent combination farm for the production of cotton, corn, wheat, oats, alfalfa, onions and live stock. The buildings are outstanding. Water is plentiful.

NO. 538.—Unless you want one of the real honest-to-God black land farms, containing 160 acres, 140 acres cultivation, balance good pasture, no grasses, good houses, porches, painted and fixed up; good barn, plenty water, wonderful community, don't answer this ad. Columbus discovered it first. It's your time now.

NO. 547.—70 acres, 3 miles southeast Farmersville; three-fourth miles from Farmersville-Josphine road; 30 acres level ridge land; 30 acres washed; in cultivation; 10 acres not adapted to cultivation; fair 5-room house; small barn. Its so cheap, frald to quote you price. See us quick.

Buy teams, tools and feed with a farm that can rented for 1935, from 50 to 150 acres.

NO. 546.—122 acres, deep, heavy black land; 2 miles north Nevada; extra good improvements; small pasture, balance cultivation; regarded as very productive; lies rolling, but soil is rich and deep; price is the thing. Ask us.

NO. 530.—157 acres near Allen; clear of debt all in cultivation, fair improvements, good well and wind mill; no bad grasses. Public road all around it. It's a humdinger and you'll say so.

NO. 532—90 acres, 5 miles northwest of McKinney, on pike. Well improved. 75 acres in cultivation with no Bermuda or Johnson grass; balance Bermuda grass pasture. Fenced sheep proof.

NO. 544.—169 acres, very good black land; 12 miles northwest McKinney; 3 miles northeast Prosper; 150 acres slightly rolling, upland with some white rock, but free from Johnson grass—balance pasture, fence Sheep proof. Improvements consist new four room dwelling, good barn and grainery; especially adapted to cotton, corn and small grain. You'll be surprised at low price and terms.

NO. 556.—37 acres, 5 miles west from McKinney, 30 acres cultivation, balance pasture. Good house, barn, etc. Possession. $50 per acre. From $300 to $500 cash, balance cheap interest, long time off. It's a nice little home. Come in and get deed.

NO. 568.—36 acres good grass land (no improvements) and nice house and lot in McKinney (clear debt) trade for small tract of land. Here is a good chance to make a good trade. See FRANK BLACKWELL, Manager, McKinney Realty Co.

NO. 422.—Why not buy you a nice, modern home and pay for it monthly? Read: 6-room house, paved street, lot 70x180, nice garden, garage, gas, lights, water, sewerage. Nice section of city. Half price. Might take some trade. Small cash payment. Balance monthly. Handled exclusively by the McKINNEY REALTY CO., Frank Blackwell, Manager.

NO. 565.—We have a splendid bargain in 55 acres, 30 acres good land, balance reasonably good, small house, barn, water. Whole 55 acres only $1,100, with $500 cash, balance $100 a year, 6%. Immediate possession. Ask FRANK BLACKWELL, Manager of the McKinney Realty Co., Exclusive Agents.

NO. 557.—Do you want one of the best farm and stock farms in Collin county? Do you really want to go to work? If so, the McKinney Realty Company, Frank Blackwell, Manager, has it exclusively for you. Contains sixty-six acres, three and half miles south east from McKinney. About twenty-five acres good, practically level, black land that will not make over a bale or two of cotton to the acre and two hundred bushels onions; cotton thirteen and fourteen cents and onions $1 to $1.50 bushel, sixty bushels corn at 65c per bushel. Also, raise oats, wheat and Johnson grass, if you let it. About forty acres good bottom land (overflows when it rains real hard but hasn't lately). Water until the world looks level and could even satisfy the most exacting Baptist. Extra good house to live in; has paint on it. Two extra large barns. All of this with possession for 1935 for $1,750. Not in distress. Will not take much cash. Might take cheap Tin Lizzie, little cash, good team and a Jersey cow that will give milk. Do not go around and say you can not go to work. You can. See Frank Blackwell and get this bargain; worth twice what we ask for it.

NO. 542.—120 acres, black waxy land, three miles northeast Wylie, partly rolling, partly level, valley land, 5-room dwelling, large barn and smoke house. Productive farm; wonderful bargain.

NO. 533.—Collin county's 100 per cent farm—90 acres, no waste, no grasses; good six room house; two barns, fenced and cross fenced; 75 acres high state of cultivation; 14 acres meadow; do not look unless you want the best.

NO. 411.—We have for exclusive sale, a good 2-story house in Prosper, with seven and half acres of land, lights, water, gas, double garage, barn and you can buy at half price. Clear of debt. Can pay all cash or good terms will be given. No trade.

OUT-LAWED FARM

100 acres, not rented. Possession. Extra bargain. Once would have sold for $150. Make us an offer. Small cash payment.

NO. 534.—161 acres; 140 acres cultivation, 20 acres pasture, good black land, good five room house, two tenant houses, good barn, all kinds of out buildings, wind mill, water piped to house and barn; six miles northwest McKinney. Possession See us for full particulars.

NO. 417—Nice suburban brick store on pike, nice stock of groceries, doing nice business, for sale or would trade for a small black land farm. It's a real dandy, clear of debt.

NO. 566.—Good 60 acre farm, 55 acres cultivation, 5 acres pasture, 4 miles from Royse City; good 6-room house, good barn, plenty water; all land broke and up; possession. A real bargain. Trade for nice McKinney home. If you want to go back to the farm and go to work, see FRANK BLACKWELL, Manager of the McKinney Realty Co., Exclusive Agents.

NO. 552.—Here's your "Baby Doll" farm. Contains five acres. All smooth, level black land. Nice orchard. Good barn, other out-houses. Extra good two-story house, six rooms, several closets. Nice bath. Improvements on farm cost twice what we will sell you the place and throw in the five acres of fine land. Put the land in cotton and onions for 1935 and pay for it. Just one-half mile from city limits. Northwest from city. Give immediate possession. Not in distress. We just want some X-mas money. Will take all cash or might make some terms. Look means a buy. No trades. Look it over.

NO. 538—When the Texas Centennial is held in Dallas in 1936, all travelers will come through McKinney on Highway 75 and go right on to Dallas. Naturally, you would want a real good, high-class farm on No. 75, between McKinney and Dallas. We have it, as follows: 195 acres, about 6 miles south of McKinney, five acres and improvements on west side; 100 acres on east side, all good, smooth, level, black land, with no bad grasses. Once would have sold extra high. We have it today at a 100 per cent bargain. Possession for 1935. Won't take much actual cash to handle. Unless you want something good, please do not take up your time, because it's real good, and we don't mean, maybe.

NO. 420.—Why not raise your own living for 1935? You can do it if you will buy this nice four acres, good four room house, barn, good well of water. Gas and lights; northwest part of city. Small cash payment. Good terms; immediate possession; excellent bargain. Might take a little trade. Look, means a buy. No information over phone. Can raise your own chickens, have a cow, hogs, and beat old hard times to death. Why wait?

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CHAMBERSVILLE
Mrs. Duland Scott

Preston Bass spent the week-end in McKinney with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Miller of McKinney spent Saturday night in the R. M. Cox home.

Grady Dunn of Weston was a guest of his cousin, Weldon Hitchcock, Saturday night.

Floyd Hitchcock of the CCC camp at Farmersville spent Friday night with his mother, Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock.

R. J. Anderson and family of McKinney spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson.

Miss Mary Louise Martin spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin, of Forest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Moseley of Bloomdale visited Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Littrell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haynes and son, Billie Dwayne, and Mrs. H. L. Haynes and Mrs. Homer Haynes and Jerry Gene, spent Friday with Dale Littlejohn and family at Woodlawn.

Miss Louise Berry and Carl Herron McKinney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Herron Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Nixon and children, Ouida and Charles, of Anna were guests Sunday of Mmes. J. K. Drury and J. R. Close.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickerson included W. L. Smith and family of Waco and Miss Lillie Joplin of McKinney.

Mrs. Thomas Sterck and children, David Trent and Nancy Tom, of Allen, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Thompson and daughter, Mae Beth, Saturday.

C. M. Bryan and Add G. Wilson of McKinney were surveying the land of the late Mrs. M. M. Thompson north of Chambersville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Chambers were here from Fort Worth visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Chambes of Rhea Mills and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson of Chambersville over the week-end.

Prof. Weldon Cowan of Verona and Miss Evelyn Gerron of Altoga and Mrs. Alma aFrley of Stiff Chapel visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Herron Thursday evening.

Mrs. W. O. Herron and little daughter, Alma Jo, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mays and little daughter, Mildred Ann, spent Thursday in McKinney with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burton and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cox, accompanied by Fred Crouch of Weston, Mrs. J. Trabb Burton and son, Billie Glen, are visiting Lee Cox and family at Decatur, Wise county.

Mrs. A. L. Priest has returned home Friday from a visit extending over a period of several weeks with her daughter and family in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Mell and little daughter ,Nancy Jo, accompanied her home and visited until Sunday evening with Mrs. J. L. Mell and Miss Ruby Ivy and F. H. Priest and family. Mrs. Manse Mitchell came up from Austin with them, and spent the week-end in Melissa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Osburn and her little daughter, Maurine.

Miss Alma Bright attended the funeral of her cousin Mrs. Roy Robbins, at Plano Sunday. Mrs. Robbins was formerly Miss Roberta Gribble, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. M. Gribble and husband, a pioneer family, whose many friends deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones.

An unusualy large crowd attended the triple ball games here last Saturday night when Chambersville boys and girls and outsiders were victorious over Verona teams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cox and family had as their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Warren, Mr. and Mrs. George Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Charley White, all of Piney Flats, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Bob T. Cox and son of Dallas. Mrs. Sam Warren is a sister of R. M. Cox. He accompanied the three families to Decatur where they visited Lee Cox and family. The families of Messrs. Warren White and Warren were en route to California.

Sunday guests of Mrs. A. L. Priest, P. H. Priest and family were: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hardaway and Mrs. Wilma Porter of Melissa, Mr. Everett Hardaway and daughter, Betty Sue, of Van Alstyne, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Jordan and children, Wanda and James Russell, of Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Mell and daughter, Nancy Jo, of Austin.

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You will find the streets and stores colorfully lighted and decorated to add to the beauty of the occasion.

You will be entertained with a program that is suitable for the occasion and it will be sure to please you. Come and bring the whole family.

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FRISCO
MRS. W. B. STALEY, Cor.

Mrs. Weldon Smraeer of Dallas visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brewer visited his father at Paris Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mayes of Camey and Rev. Ben Bell visited relatives at Amarillo last week.

Mrs. W. H. Clarke who has been ill for the past ten days is improving.

The ladies of the First Christian church are planning a bazaar and market to be given December 8.

Miss Maude McCleskey of Dallas visited her sister, Mrs. Raymond Watson and friends here last week.

Maude Alice and J. C. Dick of Itasca visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rogers last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Doggett and children of Denton visited Mrs. Dogget's mother, Mrs. T. W. Kerley and other relatives here Sunday.

Misses Annie B. Robertson of Dallas and Beryl Robertson of Fort Worth spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Letcher Watkins of Crutchfield, Ky., are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. John Carter and brothers, Willie and Syrell Carpenter and families.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Campbell were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hoffman of Kansas City and the latter's brother, Frank Prunty and wife of Benedict, Kansas.

Rev. and Mrs. Granville Walker of Fort Worth spent the week-end with friends in Frisco. Rev. Walker filled his appointment at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gordon visited relatives at Lipan last week. From there Mrs. Gordon went with her sister to Whitewright where they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spindle.

Rogie Carpenter and Jack Rogers of Refugio visited relatives here last week. They were accompanied home by their aunt and mother, Mrs. I. S. Rogers, who will visit with their families a few weeks.

J. B. Hutchey, who his been confined to his bed for the past three years has recently become paralyzed in one sid. Others sick in thi scomunity are Mrs. Mary Duncan, Mrs. Eliza Douglas and Mrs. S. W. Miller.

The union Thanksgiving service at the Methodist church last Wednesday evening was a gracious hour. Talks were made by members of the different churches. At the close of the service a large basket of groceries was presented to Rev. S. W. Miller, superannuated minister.

Rev. T. H. McSpadden until recently pastor of the Frisco Baptist church, has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Sinton near Corpus Christi. Rev. and Mrs. McSpedden and their children have a host of friends in this community who regret to see them go but wish them every success and happiness in their new hom.

Among the young people of the Frisco community who are either teachers or students away from home spending the Thanksgiving holidays at home were: Miss Izetta Sparks, Graham; Henderson Malone, Bridgeport, Miss; Bernice Malone Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rogers, Duncanville; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rogers, Blum; Miss Maurine and Mary Lee Sapp, Miss Elizabeth Malone and Raymond Wood all of Teachers college, Denton; R. W. Carpenter and Norman Duncan of A. & M. college.

FORMER COLLIN GIRL BRIDE OF ILLINOIS MAN

Friends in and near McKinney have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Rena Bomar to Harold P. Marx, which took place in Tallula, Ill., November 22.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Nora Bomar residing a few miles east of McKinney. She was reared in the Bomar Chapel community, northeast of McKinney, but for the past several years has hold a responsible position in Dallas with the Davis Hat company. She is a yourg lady of sweet Christian character, and has a multitude of friends. She is a granddaughter of Uncle Billy Bomar of this city.

Mr. Marx was reared in Forest Park Ill., but is now stationed in Tallula, Ill., where he is pastor of a Presbyterian church. He attended college in Dallas. The newlyweds have started housekeeping in Tallula. They have the best wishes of a multitude of friends upon their marriage.

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MELISSA
Mrs. Ethel Bridgeforner

Murray Moore of Austin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Moore here several days last week.

Joe Lindsey of Austin visited his son, Alvin Lindsey, and family here several days. Mr. Lindsay formerly lived east of town for many years.

Malcolm Norris, fifteen year-old son of Mrs. Glenn Woods, who lives on the Henry Leigh place just southwest of town is ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. T. E. Hardaway and daughters, Alma Lou and Betty Sue of Van Alstyne visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hardaway here Monday afternoon.

Mrs. E. W. Merritt and mother, Mrs. King of McKinney were business visitors here recently. Mrs. Merritt is an outstanding florist of her home town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graves and little grandson left Saturday morning for El Paso where they will spend two weeks visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis and daughters.

A good fellowship meeting was held at the Presbyterian church here Wednesday at which time a number of out-of-town visitors were present. Interesting meetings were held in the main auditourum of the church.

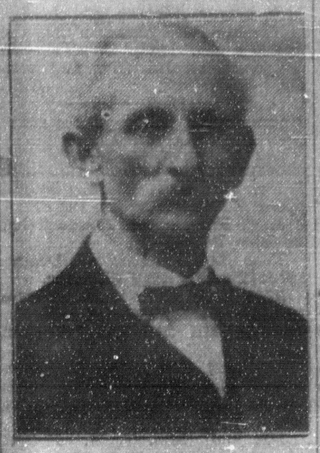
Dr. J. T. Mantooth, who has had an infected hand and has been suffering intense pain and who spent several days in the city hospital, in McKinney, is back at his home here and is slowly recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. Dauris Lindsay and young lady daughters, Misses Madeline and Dorothy Jo, of Sherman, were here visiting relatives recently. Mr. Lindsey had lived here with his family until two and a half months ago whn they moved to Sherman to be near Mr. Lindsey's work as motorman on the interurban.

Considerable moving about in the town and community has been done in the last few weeks. Shirley Taylor moved his family into the old C. R. Osburn home place east of the railroad on Harrison street. H. W. Grace moved into the house vacated by the Taylor family. Mrs. P. F. Loftice bought a smaller house than the one she owned on the highway in the north part of town moving into it Tuesday. E. O. Knox bought Mrs. Loftice nice little home on the west side of the highway and moved his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mallow Graves and family into it. Sam Martin and family moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Graves.

Right in town, good five room house, four acres of land, (alfalfa growing all over it,) good well, walled up with brick, barn and chicken houses until the world looks level, gas, lights and water accessible, with possession. Give your wife this nice Christmas home. Extra small cash will put you in possession and terms like rent. One year in alfalfa, a few onions, good garden, good cow. Oh, boy, you'll be living at home. Call on McKINNEY REALTY CO. for full particulars.

J. A. WINN, FORMER M'KINNEY CITIZEN, DIES AT WYLIE



J. A. WINN

J. A. Winn, a former McKinney citizen, 76 years of age, residing in Wylie, died Monday at the home of his son, Lester Winn, in that Southeast Collin town. He was a former deputy warden of this county.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. today (Tuesday) at the Wylie Christian church, with burial following at Royse City.

Mr. Winn was a well-known Collin county citizen, whose friends will be sorowful on learning of his death.

Survivors are five sons, Lester Winn, Carl Winn and Van Winn of Wylie, H. R. Winn of Ferris and Bernice Winn of Lake Providence, La.; four daugaters, Mrs. Naomi Wilkinson of Ferris, Mrs. Stella Clausen of Abernathy, Mrs. Myrtle Herndon of Asherton and Mrs. Reath Tremont of Shreveport.

Pallbearers were: A. Brown, J. A. Hammett, W. M. Groves, Jack Housewright, W. F. Duncan and Leton Hillis.

Elizabeth Ann Goostree Asks Santa for Baby Brother; Son Born To Home Early Wednesday

Little Miss Elizabeth Ann Goostree, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Goostree, has always been a great believer in and advocate of Santa Claus. Elizabeth Ann believes in him much stronger today than ever before. She recently wrote Santa a letter asking him to bring her a little brother for Christmas. Santa Claus is always good to little boys and girls and as Elizabeth Ann had been a good little girl he believed in giving good service. So, today, Santa Claus left a fine sweet baby boy and little brother at Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Goostree's home, complying with Elizabeth's request. So, happiness is supreme in the Goostree family for this Christmas. Dear Old Santa Claus is always good to little boys and girls.

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FORMER M'KINNEY GIRL CONTRIBUTES CENTENNIAL POEM

Miss Nancy Adams, sophomore student in the Woodrow Wilson High school, Dallas, an a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. (Peyton) Adams, of Dallas, but formerly of this city, contributed the following poem on "The Centennial City" to her English teacher recently. Of all the poems contributed, the one written by Miss Adams was selected as the best. The poem of this former McKinney young lady follows:

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THE CENTENNIAL CITY

Dallas today is a-flutter
From the man at the top to the one in the gutter;
Houston, you lost!! what a pity,
Dallas, we hail you! Centennial City.

The hammers and saws of 3,000 men
Will merrily sing their songs again.
The women, too, will do their share
With hearts that are light and free of care.

Each child, too, can do his part.
Remember it's not too early to start,
Whether you're black or whether you're white
You can do this thing and do it right.

How proud we will be in 1936
When people from everywhere mingle and mix
With the folk at home who put this thing over,
Centennial City, you'll then be in clover.

And when our buildings are all painted new
One of this color and one of that hue,
Chicago ,don't look on us in pity,
Because we're Dallas, the Centennial City.

By NANCY ADAMS,
Sophomore, Woodrow Wilson High school,
Dallas, Texas.
4519 Gaston avenue.

CHAMBERSVILLE
Mrs. O. S. Scott

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sippola and baby, Ann Marie, of Commerce and their sister, Miss Inez Crego of Wisconsin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Mell and daughter, Nancy Jo, and Mrs. J. L. Meil and Miss Ruby Ivey Sunday. Messrs. Mell and Sippola were classmates at Texas university.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE

Opening song: "Sweet Hour of Prayer," led by Miss Louise Martin, with Miss Bernice Chandler at the piano. Miss Juanita Allen presided in the absence of the president, Miss Nola Bess Kluttz, read an invitation from the South Wilcox League inviting the local League to be their guests on Sunday evening, December 2. The motion to accept the invitation carried by a large majority. Miss Nola Bess Kluttz was unanimously elected vice-president; Billie Priest was appointed ways and means committee chairman. The regular program was omitted and the meeting closed with prayer by Rev. Roy L. Patton.

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Glenn Scott of McKinney and Berlyn Scott of Hillsboro visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Scott, Wednesday.

Eleven members answered roll call Monday with something they were thankful for. Mrs. W. O. Herron led the devotional using Psalm 97. Others on the program were Mrs. T. W. Jernigan, Mrs. B. C. Thompson, Mrs. M. K. Drury, Mrs. O. S. Scott, Mrs. A. P. Dickerson and Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock. This was the end of the membership contest. Two new members were enrolled and eight backsliders were reclaimed. Mrs. Hitchcock having won over Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Herron was awarded an angel food cake by the president, Mrs. J. R. Frisby. The Aid meets again Monday, Dec. 10, with Mrs. M. K. Drury as leader at this meeting will have Christmas exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Haynes and son, Billie, were guests at a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Proffitt of Bloomdale Sunday.

Despite the threatening weather, there were good crowds at both morning and night services to hear Rev. Roy Patton bring his first messages of the year. Rev. Patton was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Drury Sunday.

The Board of Christian Education met Sunday afternon with Rev. Roy Patton presiding. Mrs. J. R. Frisby was reelected chairman and Mrs. M. K. Drury was again elected secretary treasurer. John B. Haynes was elected member of the board to fill the place of P. L. Chandler resigned. B. C. Thompson was reelected. Agricultural stewards elected were Morris K. Drury, chairman, Buford C. Thompson and John B. Haynes.

VALDASTA
Miss Yvonne Ramsey

Hollis Goodwin of Valdasta spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Bert Davis of Sherman.

Miss Opal Combest and Jemina Stroup of Valdasta are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Miss Jewel Flemings of Valdasta visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alexander of Farmersville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Farley and children of Dallas spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Luther Stapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Combest are the proud parents of a fine baby girl. She has been named Betty Sue.

Miss Yvonne Ramsey of Valdasta spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Miss Marporie Farley at Altoga.

Miss Vera Noles of Trenton spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Noles of Valdasta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Noles of Trenton spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Price and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cantrell and Mrs. Alice Alexander of Valdasta were called to Hamlin, Texas, Saturday to attend the funeral of their nephew, J. W. Jenkins of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Will Farley of Stiff Chapel attended church at Valdasta Sunday night. His son, Alma, is pastor of Valdasta Baptist church.

Mrs. Ona aFrley of Altoga gave a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Miss Faye Ramsey and Marjorie Farley. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ramsey and children, Faye, Yvonne, Jean and James, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Ramsey, all of Valdasta and Ray Stevenson and Arlin King of Altoga.

Mrs. M. L. Stroup, Route 3, Farmersville, takes the Semi-Weekly Farm News at clubbing rate with our paper.

Thanks to our good friend, Charlie Graves, Route 3, McKinney, for Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for a year in advance. We welcome him to our list.

A. J. Leigh, a highly esteemed Walnut Grove farmer, transacted business in McKinney Wednesday. We acknowledge a welcome business call from him. He is a son-in-law of the late Mrs. J. H. Lewis who died in McKinney a few weeks ago. His wife is a sister of Walter Lewis of the J. P. Dowell store.

Mrs. G. O. Key continues quite ill at her home on West Louisiana street, where she has been confined for the past month.

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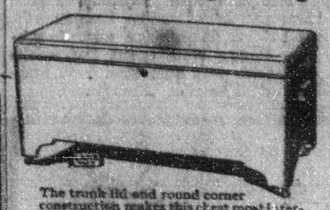

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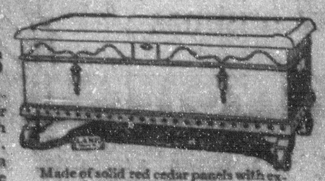

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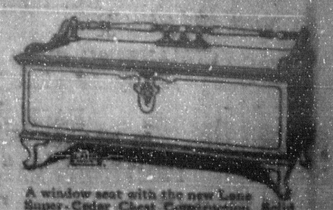

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CLIMAX
Miss Viola Gray

Several from here attended the party at Miss Jessie Womble's of Midway Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans and son, Billie, of Womble spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. H. I. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holland and daughter, Ernestine of Denton county, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gray and family Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bass and daughter, Rheta Laverne, of Womble spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Quillin and son, Kenneth Wayne, spent Sunday afternoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. Fagley of Midway.

This community was saddened by the death of Miss Bernice Edwards who died Saturday. The funeral was at the Methodist church of Pleasant Grove Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. E. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bass and daughter of Womble spent Sunday afternoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Holland of McKinney.

LUCAS
Miss Tressye Spurgin

Miss Ruth Daffron spent the week-end in Renner.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hall visited Mrs. Susan Hall Sunday.

Miss Leleita Coffey spent the week-end with relatives in McKinney.

Mrs. P. F. Smith visited her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Morris, of Dallas last week.

Mary Lois Ballew spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Graham.

Misses Mary Ellen Biggs and Loula Erin Cook spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Osborn and sons, Billie and Vernon, spent Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coffey.

Mrs. Zeilna Stratton and son Marvin, attended the football game Saturday afternoon at Rockwall between Rockwall and Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pharr, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parr and daughter, Peggy Nell, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Russell of Farmers Branch.

BRUSHY
Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Corr.

Snyder Browden spent Saturday night with Mabron Johnson.

Mrs. Clyde Johnson spent Monday with Mrs. F. M. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and daughters were shopping in McKinney Saturday.

Paul D. Phillips spent the week-end with his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith.

Morris Praytor of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. E. Clark and children spent a few days this week with relatives in Weatherford.

W. R. Bickley Sr. spent the Thanksgiving holidays wit hhis daughter, Mrs. Henry Forster in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. L. L. Johnston and daughters, Misses Mae and Faye Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Belmont Royre of El Monte, Calif., visited in the home of their father, W. R. Bickley last week.

The pupils of the Brushy school gave a Thanksgiving program Wednesday. Rev. McCollom of Farmersville made an interesting talk ao the school and some of the patrons.

The honor roll for November is as follows: First grade—Rankin Bickley, Malcolm B. Morrison; second grade—Wanda Pearl Green, Elizabeth Ann Hess, W. D. Johnson, Joe Blake McLeod and Cecil L. Morrison; third grade—Lester Odom; fifth grade—Eufaula Bickley; eighth grade—Pauline Holder.

RHEA MILLS
Miss Eva Harben

Carlos Gentle and Kathryn Scroggins were married in McKinney Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarnce Furr spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Roberson of Cottage Hill.

Several from this community attended the singing at Navo Sunday afternoon.

Miss Viola Harben spent last Sunday with Misses Mildred and Modine Smith.

Miss Alena Herron spent Sunday with Misses Mildred and Modine Smith.

Paul Harben of Farmersville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harben Wednesday.

Several from here attended the basketball tournament at Celina Saturday.

Miss Willie Mae Brown who is a teacher in the Verona school visited hep ranets during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickett and family visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Rae Lawson, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Furr and family and Rev. Boreland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pickett Smith last Sunday.

Several from here attended the Verona-Chambersville ball game at Chambersvill last Saturday night.

The Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Howard were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Litchford and Mrs. Ward and daughter, Sadie.

Miss Eva Harben, a student at the N. T. S. T. C., at Denton, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harben. She returned to Denton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pistole, who have livod in this community for several years have moved to the Plano community. Mr. and Mrs. Pell of Ash Grove will occupy the place they vacated.

MILLWOOD
Miss Johnnie Boyce

Miss Leola Preston visited Miss Mary Boyce Friday.

Miss Audrey Preston visited Miss Mary Boyce Monday.

Bertie Mae Flannagin and Reathe Stewart visited Joe Denman Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin G. Harper were visiting in Rockwall Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watkins Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bob Stewart and Bessie visited Mrs. Henry Watkins Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Hoggue Lofland of Rockwall and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Holmes and children, Joe and Elsie, of Wylie visitted Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Boyce and family Saturday night.

Earl Banger of Beachland were Saturday night guests of Miss Mary Boyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huffman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Ratcliff spent a few hours Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim King and family.

ROWLETT
Miss Annis Day

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knight spent Thanksgiving in Dallas.

J. C. Fagg spent Thanksgiving in Blue Ridge.

Miss Louis Rasor of Denton spent Thanksgiving at home.

Miss Lula Christie of Gainesville spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Christie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gyp McMahan and Virginia Faye of Fort Worth visited in the community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knight were called to Dallas Sunday morning by the death of the mother of Johnnie Williamson, who is well-known in our community.

Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rasor were Misses Dorothy McLain, Sybil Watson, Locke Cooper, Sue and Glen Rasor, all of Dallas, Annis Day and Bill Chandler of this place.

Rev. G. B. Bradshaw of McKinney preached at Rowlett Sunday morning and announced that he would conduct a five-night Bible Training school here beginning Monday, December 3.

Wednesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Day were Misses Sue Rasor of Dallas, Margaret Chandler of Foote, Annis and Mildred Day and Bill Carrell of McKinney; Maurice Malone, Guy Edwards and Roger Day of Dallas.

DUMP
Catherine Morris

Mrs. J. Wesley Smith has moved to Wylie.

Miss Gladys Nelson spent Thanksgiving in McKinney.

School closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Haskell and John L. Flynn of Dallas visited friends in this community Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Parr was visiting in Dallas Saturday night and Sunday.

Henry Parr, John K. and Lucille Parr spent several days visiting relatives in Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Moss have moved into our community. We are glad to have them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seeley and J. G. Misenheimer were visiting in Fate Tuesday.

Bro. E. S. Drew filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday.

Don't forget our Wednesday night singings. Everybody invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hackler, Mr. and Mrs. Max Hackler of Dallas spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hackler.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corley and children of Garland visited Mr. and Mrs. Water Belmyer and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holden and son, Bryant, Miss Lois Bolin of Amarillo and Mrs. J. Wesley Smith visited relatives here during Thanksgiving. Mrs J. Wesley Smith has been visiting n New Mexico and Amarillo for the past four months.

ANNA
Miss Lula Estep

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knox were McKinney visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Compton of Farmersville visited relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Smith of Celina is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Jack Smith and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Estep visited Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Estep, at Sherman Sunday.

Mrs. Cordie Ivy and brother, Dick Griffin, visited relatives at Dallas during the holidays.

Mesdames W. G. Strother and Frank Cox were sent as delegates from the Anna P.-T. A. to the State P.-T. A. meeting at Corpus Christi. They also visited the state capital and at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Nixon of Gunter visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Giles Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strother of Dallas were the dinner guests Thursday of the former's parents

Miss Fannie Mae Trice of Dallas spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Trice.

Mr. and Mrs. John Milton Strother of Honey Grove are visiting relatives here and at Kelly.

Miss Ruth Priddy of Nevada spent the past week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Strother.

Mrs. Harry Drury of Blue Ridge spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Estep.

The Anna basketball girls met the Long Star team on the local court Wednesday. Scores were 19-6 in favor of Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cravens of Dallas were the week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cravens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Miller of Sherman were dinner guests Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cadenhead and two sons of Denison spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Cadenhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts and two daughters of McKinney were guests Thursday night of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Roberts.

Mrs. Roy Martin and children, Wanda and Allen of Tyler, visited their mother and granmother, Mrs. Vorilla Rampy, last week.

J. R. Ford, rural mail carrier while on his route Friday morning was suddenly stricken ill with a brain hemorhage. He is some better at this writing.

A Thanksgiving program was given at the Christian church Wednesday evening. Followed by a sermon by Rev. Roy Anderson, pastor.

Mrs. Opal Nixon and children, Ouida and Charles, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mesdames Etha Drury and Lucille Close at Chambersville.

Mrs. J. Wes Hendricks and daughter, Bonnye Pearl, Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mrs. Joe Bryant and Mrs. Grady Hendricks were Sherman visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dyer and little son, Billy of Farmersville were the guests Thanksgiving of his father, Rayben Dyers, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hannah.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Strother.

The dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Crabtree were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Petite and son, Ray, of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Loy Roberts of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Macholker and children of Harlingen and Miss Wilma Clausen of N. T. S. T. C. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. John Strother and families.

Earl Powell and Misses Lotie and Jessie Powell of Dallas were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Powell during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Regular preaching services were held at the Christian church Sunday. Rev. Roy Anderson of Denison filled his regular appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryant entertained a number of young folks with a party at their home here Thursday night. The party was given in honor of Miss Gwendolyn Hendricks of McKinney who is Mrs. Bryant's niece.

Oliver Strother of the Baptist college at Decatur and Miss Dorothy Strother of N. T. S. T. C. spent the holidays wit htheir parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Strother.

BLOOMDALE
Mrs. C. L. Weeks

Miss Edith Lanier visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hinsley last week.

Rev. Frank Wilkinson of Weston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Kissinger is improving after several months illness.

Mrs. W. L. Edmonds of near Allen was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duncan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bell near Lone Elm Sunday.

The boys and girls ball team played Lovejoy Wednesday. The boys won but the girls were defeated.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Scott and family of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Howard Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gallups and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dinmore near Lovejoy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Norris and W. M. Norris spent Sunday in Melissa with Malcolm Norris who is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Knowles and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Bryson and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Paysinger and family visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. White and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White at Farmington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duncan entertained the young folks of this community with a party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin and Curtis Calhoun of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Calhoun Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Weeks and daughter, Louise, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Lewis in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Snapp and family of McKinney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kissinger Sunday.

Miss Floy Jane Weeks, who is attending Baylor university, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Weeks.

Misses Jimanna Douglas, Addie Truett, Rebecca Wilson, Kathryn Melton and Ruth Marcom of McKinney were guests of Miss Louise Weeks Thursday.

Prof. W. H. Moseley took his boys basketball team to Celina Saturday to a tournament. They saw and played some good games. Ella Hobbard and Parker were some of the high schools that were victorious over Bloomdale. Parker won 13 to 11. Bloomdale defeated Cottage Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Paysinger, Mrs. Lucille Payainger and children, Patsy Ruth and Jack of McKinney and Mrs. Ethel Blackburn and children, Meral and James L., of Dallas spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Applebee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leigh and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin and family of near Walnut Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crim and famuy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Martin here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley eBarden, Miss Nellie Crim and Tom Crim of Dallas and Mrs. Emery Foster and children of McKinney spent Thursday with Mrs. Ora Crim and family here.

Mrs. R. F. Proffatt entertained Mrs. R. L. Mantooth with a surprise party last week. Those present were Mrs L. D. Franklin, Mrs. Roe Lawson, Mrs. J. L. Scott and children, Mrs. J. J. Harlin, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Mrs. John Curry and sons, Mrs. K. S. Howard, Mrs. Ollie Isagel, Mrs. Proffitt, Mrs. C. L. Weeks and the honoree, Mrs. R. L. Mantooth.

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GOOD ATTENDANCE B. T. S. MEETING AT LUBBOCK

Among the church workers of McKinney attending the Baptist Training school convention in Lubbock over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tucker, Miss Fletcher Anderson, Mrs. J. R. McCoy and children, Robby and Sue; Miss Ruth Ray; Bryan Ready of College Station, son of County Tax Collector and Mrs. N. D. Ready; his sisters, Miss Naomi Ready, teacher at Aubrey, Texas; Misses Oreta and Daphne Ready, at home, here; and Miss Ethel Baxter, student at North Texas State Teachers college, also of this city.

W. M. Wright, Paris pastor, was elected president of the Texas Baptist Training union and Dallas was chosen as next year's convention city at the closing session.

The convention adopted resolutions to "wage a continuous effort in promoting temperance and prohibition" through educational means. The group also voted to join the church youth of other denominations in a united campaign for temperance and voted to cooperate with the United Forces of Prohibition in an all-day program to be held July 7.

CAPT. BRISTOL TO CELEBRATE 98TH BIRTHDAY

Our good old Collin county friend, Capt. W. H. Bristol, who is now visiting his granddaughter, at 3316 R, Galveston, Texas, will reach his ninety-eighth birthday on Monday, December 3.

At 12:30 p. m., Central Standard Time, that date, announcement of Captain Bristol's birthday will be made by the National Raido company of New York City. Immediately following that radio announcement, Mrs. Toles and Captain Bristol will broadcast over Station KLUF, Galveston, with piano and violin, Captain Bristol playing the violin.

On Friday, December 14, Captain Bristol will assist with the violin music on a program at the First Methodist church at Galveston.

A feature of his ninety-eighth birthday occasion will be a huge sixteen-inch cake in diameter decorated with a blaze of ninety-eight candles.

Capt. Bristol was born near Morganton, Burke county, North Carolina, December 3, 1836. He served in the Confederate army and came to Texas about seventy years ago. He was the first merchant at Fayburg, about eighteen miles northeast of McKinney, and its first postmaster. He ran a gin and a sawmill at that place. He later ran a gin at McKinney and also a gin in West Collin about midway between where Frisco and Prosper now stand.

In a personal letter to this editor, Capt. Bristol says, "My health is very good. In fact, extraordinary for any one of my age. With best wishes for you and yours, etc."

Capt. Bristol lived in McKinney with his niece, Mrs. C. C. Cobb, on Foote street until a few months ago when he went to Galveston to stay with a granddaughter. He is the father of R. E. Bristol of Dallas, former owner of the City Drug store in McKinney for many years.

He has been a member of the Methodist church for about ninety years. His wife and several children are buried in Pecan Grove cemetery here at McKinney.

His many old friends in McKinney and other parts of Collin county join in sending him birthday greetings.

County Superintendent L. D. Hendricks, wife and children, Don Cook, Mary Dow and Frances, accompanied by his father, J. Wes Hendricks and Miss Ruth Powell, the latter of Van Alstyne, have returned home from Galveston, scene of the Texas State Teachers association meeting. All but Superintendent Hendricks stopped in Houston, where they visited his sister, Mrs. Turner Briggs and family. The county superintendent greatly enjoyed the sessions of the teachers, as well as a visit to places of historical interest in that section, especially to the San Jacinto battlefield.

Mrs. F. A. Ray, wife of the pastor of the South Wilcox Methodist church, continues to improve after a week's illness. She will be able to attend and participate in regular choir practice at that church Wednesday night in connection with the mid-week prayer servic

Quite a few nice Thanksgiving dinners were given in the city Thursday (Thanksgiving)

SUPERIOR PLANO TEAM DEFEATS ROCKWALL, 12-0

A superior Plano High Wildcat team became Class B, District 9 champions, Saturday, when they defeated their ancient rivals, the Rockwall High Yellowjackets, 12-0, in the final game of the district season at Rockwall. The Rockwall lads, district and regional champions last year and district champions for two preceding years, due to wins over Plano, failed to dent the strong Plano defense and then failed to withstand the attack of Captain Crouch, Batchelor and Miller of the Wildcats. It was the first time in four years the Rockwall team had lost to a district rival.

Plano scored in the third and again in the fourth quarter. The long awaited and well deserved victory gives the Wildcats the right to meet the Vocational High team of Fort Worth for the bi-district title.

Plano's record this season is marred only by a loss to the fast-moving McKinney High Lions, who won over them, 13-6, in the early part of the season. They were also tied 6-6 by the Terrill Prep Tigers of Dallas.

CHAMBERSVILLE COUPLE MARRIED HERE SATURDAY

Saturday afternoon, November 30, at the Christian parsonage in this city occurred the wedding of James Lewis Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cox, and Miss Clara Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson. The marriage vows were received by Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church and the ring ceremony was used in a beautiful sealing of the sacred rites.

Both the bride and bridegroom come from the Chambersville community where they will continue to reside on the farm.

The happy young couple were attended by Miss Evelyn Cox, sister of the groom, and Marvin Thompson of Weston.

NEW VOLUMES PURCHASED BY CITY LIBRARY

The McKinney Library, of which Miss Faye Wilcox is the efficient librarian, has just recently purchased some new and interesting books. Miss Wilcox states that these are some of the finest books of their type.

They are as follows:

"The New Democracy," by Henry L. Ickes.

"East and West," by Somarset Moore.

"The Folks," by Ruth Suckow.

"The Rancher's Revenge," by Max Brand.

"Brothers on the Trail," by Max Brand.

"Fighting Horse Valley," by Will Jenkins.

"West of Apache Pass," by Charles Alden Seltzer.

Judge George P. Brown and wife returned Saturday afternoon from a two days and nights visit to his sister and family at Crowell, Texas. Mr. Brown taught school at or near Crowell in his young manhood and renewed a number of old acquaintances in that section during his Thanksgiving visit at Crowell on this trip. Judge Brown is a prominent McKinney lawyer and former County Attorney. His wife is a history teacher in the L. A. Scott Junior High school.

Miss Isabel Allen, teacher in the Nocona High school for the past seven years, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander in McKinney during the Thanksgiving holidays. She left here Sunday evening for Denton where she joined another Nocona teacher on their return to that place to resume teaching Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander took her to Denton in their car.

Miss Lulu Simmons, 3319 Avenue J, Fort Worth, was the guest Saturday night of her aunt, Mrs. S. S. McIntosh at the latter's home, corner South Benge and West Davis streets. She accompanied to McKinney her cousin, O. E. Phelps, a Fort Worth business man, who went on out to the farm home of his widowed mother, Mrs. T. M. Phelps, about five miles southeast of McKinney, and spent the night and Sunday. On Sunday, at noon, Mrs. T. M. Phelps enjoyed a family dining with her children, niece and other relatives.

E. R. Carraway and wife of Prosper were among those from this county attending the Texas State Teachers meeting in Galveston.

J. R. STEWART TO BE WITH ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR READY

J. R. Stewart has accepted a position with Tax Collector N. D. Ready, beginning Jan. 1, 1935, when Mr. Ready assumes his position as assesor-collector of this county. Mr. Stewart has been here a few weeks, familiarizing himself with the duties of the office. For twenty years, Mr. Stewart has been engaged in the drug business at Murphy, this county, having made quite a success.

Desiring to educate his children, giving them better advantages, he will move to McKinney, having disposed of his drug business at Murphy. Fortunate is Tax Assessor-Collector Ready in procuring the services of this fine competent business man. Besides being an asset to Mr. Ready's office force, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will be quite a pleasing addition to our wonderful citizenship.

"FIRST MONDAY" FINDS LARGE CROWD IN CITY

Monday, December the third, was "First Monday" in McKinney and the last event of this kind of the year. Consequently, McKinney streets were crowded with visitors from every section of the county, here to do their fall trading and Christmas shopping.

Local stores reported spirited Christmas buying, Monday proving one of the busiest days of the fall season and almost as busy as Saturday. Fine weather overhead with cool crisp breezes and no clouds made conditions ideal.

Plans are under way for a dance to be given by the McKinney Athletic club on New Year's eve, December 31, according to officials of that organization. The board of directors of the club will announce their committee next week. They are expecting this to be one of the biggest dances held in McKinney for several years. A splendid orchestra will furnish the music.

Ft. Worth To Get Securities Commission Office

To facilitate the flotation of securities and ease the task of protecting investors from fraud, the Securities and Exchange commission will establish branch offices in seven key cities, which will be the regional offices for seven zones. The cities are Now York, Boston, Chicago, Denver, San Francisco, Fort Worth and Atlanta.

The S. E. C. has considered the subject of branches very carefully with the view to obtaining increased efficiency. Under the plan, corporations can take initial steps in floating securities without the necessity of communicating with Washington. The offices will also furnish points where investors may make complaints about representations made to them in the sole of securities and be strategic points or commission investigators charged with watching stock market and other securities operations.

A staff of investigators is being given lessons in technical stock market operations and advice as to how to deal with offenders to blast out securities frauds. This is on the premise that it is one thing to approach a firm that cooperates with the Securities and Exchange commission and quite another to invade a bucket shop. In the latter case, instructions are to take gloves off.

Sheriff G. J. S. Walker, accompanied by Superintendent Claude Foster of the county farm and Justice of the Peace Erwin Craus, of this city, and Deputy Sheriff L. L. Miller of Farmersville, motored to Tyler Sunday, where Sheriff Walker took into custody a prisoner who escaped from the county farm last July. They report the weather very disagreeable on their trip, raining on them all the way from Greenville to Tyler and a great portion of their return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McBee of Fitzhugh street, Dallas, were Thanksgiving guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McBee, and family in McKinney.

Miss Dorothy Wyatt, daughter of Dr. S. B. Wyatt, of Plano, graced our office with a business visit Friday. Miss Dorothy is a Southern Methodist university student at Dallas. She is interested in Collin county history and Editors & Co. will welcome her

M'KINNEY WELL REPRESENTED AT TEACHERS MEET

The following from this city and county attended the three-day Texas State Teachers meeting held in Galveston from Thursday to Saturday, last week: Prof. Jack R. Ryan, city superintendent of McKinney Public schools; Prof. Lymen D. Robinson, principal of Boyd High school, and wife; Prof. N. C. Smart, principal of the L. A. Scott Junior High school, and wife; County Superintendent L. Dow Hendricks, wife and three children, Don Cook, Mary Dow and Frances, his father, J. Wes Henricks, and Miss Ruth Powell, the latter of Van Alstyne; B. R. Carraway and wife of Prosper; Prof. James Jernigan, principal of the Rosamond school; Prof. George R. Robinson and wife of Sedalia, (Independence), and possibly others.

Prof. Ryan, who is chairman of the State Textbook commission is also a member of the nominating committee of the state association, in which capacity he served this year.

C. N. Shaver of Huntsville, former state superintendent of public instruction, was chosen president of the association, succeeding J. O. Loftin of San Antonio. Shaver defeated O. A. Fleming of Freeport and J. C. Perkins of Houston.

Members elected to the executive committee were: Joe Bergin, Greenville, fourth district; R. M. Hawkins, Mexia, re-elected to represent the sitxh district; R. L. Bunting, Huntsville, seventh district; E. E. Oberholtzer, Houston, eighth district; O. D. Monroe, Fort Worth, twelfth district; H. W. Dodd, Brownsville, fifteenth district; H. W. Morelock, Alpine, sixteenth district, and Ola Boyles, Amarillo, re-elected to the eighteenth district. Terms of other members did not expire this year.

W. A. James of Galveston was elected first vice-president; R. P. Ward, Edinburg, second vice-president, and Knox Kinnard, Oklaunion, third vice-president.

San Antonio was the only city to make a bid for next year's convention city.

AGED FATHER SUNDAY GUEST OF SEN. HUGHSTON

Senator Wallace Hughston and wife had as their guests Sunday his honored old father, Capt. Thos. F. Hughston, and two sisters, Miss Carrie Hughston, and Miss Eva Hughston, all of Plano. Also, at the noonday dining they had his brother, Tom Allen Hughston, big cotton seed oil mill operator of Dallas, wife and three children—Tom H. Hughston, manager of the Collin County Cotton Oil Mill company, McKinney; Miss Margaret Hughston, McKinney school teacher; and Miss Anne Grace Hughston of Dallas.

Senator Hughston's sisters, Miss Carrie Hughston is one of the grade teachers in Dallas, while his other sister, Miss Eva Hughston, has been a grammar school teacher in McKinney for several years. These relatives all accompanied Senator and Mrs. Hughston to the 11 o'clock preaching and communion service at the First Methodist church Sunday morning to hear Dr. H. G. Ryan, the eloquent pastor, deliver a very forceful sermon.

The aged father, Capt. T. F. Hughston, is nearing his ninety-third birthday in excellent health, considering his advanced age. However, both his eyesight and hearing are considerably impaired.

GOOD SERVICES HELD SUNDAY SOUTH WILCOX

Sunday services were held Sunday at the South Wilcox Methodist church, of which Rev. F. A. Ray is pastor. Rev. Ray brought two helpful sermons at the morning and evening hours and was rewarded by large and appreciative congregations. Sunday school and Epworth Leagues were likewise well attended. Young people's services at the league hour proved unusually enjoyable, when leaguers from the Allen and Chambersville churches were present as guests.

In connection with regular midweek services Wednesday evening, Rev. Ray announces that the Board of Christian Education will meet and that choir practice will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hall of San Antonio were Thanksgiving holiday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. A. C. Hall in this city.

SATURDAY PROVES BUSY DAY FOR LOCAL MERCHANTS

Saturday proved an unusually busy day for McKinney merchants, while trade in other localities over the county likewise was brisk. Holiday buying has started in no uncertain manner in the city and extra clerks have been added in many instances to help take care of the holiday trade.

Monday found another large crowd of Yuletide shoppers here and merchants were kept busy waiting on the trade.

The Christmas shopping season has started in earnest in the city. The cool, brisk weather Saturday and Monday put every one in the proper mood, filling them with throughts of Christmas, only three weeks away.

Buyers will find all kinds of gift suggestions in local stores. McKinney merchants being well stocked with all kinds of gifts and presents for every member of the family.

Infant Son Anna Couple Passes Away

Harold Ray Burch, three-months old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Burch of near Anna passed away Thursday night, Nov. 29, at the family home after an illness of about three weeks. Funeral services were held at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Frank Wilkinson ,pastor of the Methodist church at Weston.

Burial was made in the Mugg cemetery near Weston with the Isaac Crouch Funeral home of McKinney in charge.

Surviving are the parents and three brothers and two sisters as follows: Carlisle, Eldon and Garth; and Ruth and Gladys, all at home.

The deceased infant was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wester of this city, Mrs. Burch being a sister of Mrs. Wester. Mr. and Mrs. Wester were in attendance during the baby's illness and the services Friday.

R. D. Rice and son, Arley, of Frognot community were in the city Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Ford of Allen are the parents of a baby daughter, born to them November 23.

J. A. Winn, Wylie resident, suffered a stroke of paralysis. His condition is still in a serious condition.

MRS W. N. STRODE ON ROAD TO RECOVERY

W. N. (Nelson) Strode, who lives two miles south of our city, being one of our most enterprising farmers and landowners, informs us that Mrs. Strode who recently submitted to an operation in a Dallas hospital, is getting along splendidly and is much better. This will be wonderful news to her many friends and neighbors. No finer or better people in this county than the Strode family.

Her husband is a prominent McKinney ginner and business man. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gay, visited with her Sunday. Mrs. Strode has a daughter, Mrs. H. V. Straughan, and husband who have been living in Dallas for several years.

County Clerk Mrs. Pearl Strother has been confined to her home for the past several days with illness, but is showing some improvement Monday. She is greatly missed from the office and her many friends will be glad when she has fully recovered and is able to resume her place in Collin's official family at the courthouse.

Mrs. H. G. Ryan, ably taught the combined classes of Judge George P. Brown and her own class of married women at the First Methodist Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. Mrs. Ryan is one of our city's most talented and efficient Christian women workers. She is a great help to her husband in his pastoral work as minister of this McKinney church.

Dath St. Clair, merchant and meat market man at Pike, wife and daughter, Hope, spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. St. Clair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hope, in McKinney. They with the Hope family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hope and daughter, Joy, residing on North College street.

Miss Mildred Winn of Collin is said to be out again after an operation performed several weeks ago.

URGES OBSERVANCE OF NATIONAL FARM INVENTORY WEEK

E. B. Reid, director of information, Farm Credit Administration, 1300 E. street, N. W. Washington, D. C., urges observance of National Farm Inventory week, January 7-12. He sets forth its importance in the following brief statemest statement to the editors of the farm papers of the Unitedo States:

"The Farm Credit Administration is joining with the United States Deparment of Agriculture and the Agricultural Commission of the American of the American Bankers' association in sponsoring national farm inventory week, January 7-12.

This is part of a large proposal for more and better records that has grown out of the agricultural adjustment work, and the financing of farmers during the last year and a half.

Last year the Agricultural Adjustment Administration provided over two million simple farm record books, and this year is increasing the number to three million, which will again be distributed through the county agents.

During the first eighteen months of its work, the lending units of the Farm Credit Administration received over a million financial statements from farmers in connection with their requests for loans. More of these statements ought to be based on carefully made inventories, therefore the interest of the Farm Credit Administration in this project.

For years the various agricultural colleges through their extension services, the department of vocational education, the farm press, and some of the banks and commercial agencies have been trying to increase the number of farmers keeping records. Never before, however, has the number undertaking this work of records or financial statements been numbered by the million.

Perhaps the movement is of sufficient importance for you to wish to make some comment in your January issue.

"E. B. REID,
"Director of information, Farm Credit Administration."

Pat and A. C. Hall of Dallas are spending the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Hall.

C. A. Callahan of the Bethel community, northeast of Celina, is in a critical condition at his home there.

Martha, the sweet little daughter of County Farm Agent and Mrs. Jack McCullough, has been quite ill for the last eight or ten days.

Evangelist V. E. Coursey of Dallas is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Christian at Ash Grove during the meeting which he is conducting there.

Herbert Stroud, prominent citizen of Okeema, Oklahoma, but formerly of Collin county, was killed in an automobile accident recently.

Tom Brown and family have moved from the John Brown home just north of Plano to the Mathews farm, south of Allen.

Ed Jones and family who have been living northwest of Plano on the George Bowman place have moved to the John Brown place.

T. E. Craig and wife left Thanksgiving day on a ten-day pleasure trip to Monterrey, Mexico. They are making the trip in their own car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gelino and Miss Mary Gelino of Bonham, spent Thanksgiving day with their brothers, Joe and Dan Gelino, in this city.

Jim eLonard has accepted a position as druggist with the Pratt Bros. drug store. Jim is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leonard who has followed the profession or trade as a druggist since he has become grown.

A. M. Russell, prominent McKinney business man, who has been confined to the McKinney City hospital for several weeks with a fractured leg, is improving. His condition is much better.

W. P. (Pickett) Smith, wife and pretty little daughter, Doris Fern, of the Rhea Mills community, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill in McKinney Monday. Mrs. Smith is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Bagwill.

Mr. and Mrs. Saza Polk of Dallas spent Thanksgiving with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McBee, in McKinney. Mr. Polk is an engineer for the Southern Pacific railroad line with a run through McKinney each day.

Mrs. M. M. Nelson Made Happy On Thanksgiving

Thursday was a happy Thanksgiving occasion for Mrs. M. M. Nelson, a dear old McKinney mother and grandmother, at her home, corner of North Church and West Hunt streets. Mrs. Nelson did not feel strong enough to accept the invitation of her grandson, Albert N. Jackson, and wife to go to their home in Dallas to eat Thanksgiving dinner with them. So Mr. Jackson and young wife decided to bring their Thanksgiving dinner to McKinney in order that they might not be derprived of the pleasure and presence of their grandmother's participation in this annual feast. This they did and brought along with them their dear Dallas friend, Mrs. Wendell Spence, one of our state's most brilliant and widely-known women who was also a guest for the day in the Nelson home.

Others present besides the honor guest and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Spence were Mrs. Pearl Jackson, mother of Albert Nelson Jackson and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Dillow, all of this city. Albert N. Jackson is a native McKinney boy, whose father, the late T. S. Jackson, was a prominent McKinney lawyer during his lifetime.

Albert is a graduate of the McKinney High school and of Southern Methodist university with a law and journalistic college training. He has been for some time a staff writer on the Dallas Times-Herald.

PEACH COBBLER IS ENJOYED ON THANKSGIVING DAY

J. P. Lane and family feasted on peach cobbler Thanksgiving day, made from ripe peaches grown on a couple of trees in the back yard of Prof. B. Frank Skelton's home on North Bradley street. Mr. Lane states that these peaches were of exceptional quality and flavor. They are of a rare variety, which ripens in November and will last over into the early part of December before dropping from the tree if left alone.

In Mr. Lane's opinion, such a variety of late ripening peaches for this country should be carefully propagated and more of them grown. He states that this blackland section is capable of growing peaches from the earliest ripening varieties in June on through each of the remaining months of the year even including December, a dead-of-winter month. Only a little industry to set the trees out and care for them and to spray them for protection against insects are necessary to the raising of choice peaches enough to do any family. Collin county has a wonderful soil, climate and an unsurpassed capacity for growing a wide variety of products of the farm, truck patch, garden and orchard.

SISTER FORMER M'KINNEY LADY PASSES AWAY

Friends in McKinney were advised Thursday morning by Mrs. J. W. Akin of Paris, Texas, of the death of her sister, Miss Bessie Eubanks, there, about 2:30 o'clock last Thursday morning. The deceased, who was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Eubanks of Paris, had often visited Mrs. Akin when the latter resided in McKinney where her husband was formerly connected with the Paris Wholesale Grocery company store in McKinney, of which L. R. Hoover is managing head.

Mrs. Raymond Bynum of Haskell has returned home after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ownbey, in this city. Mrs. Bynum's husband came with her as far as Fort Worth where he visited relatives and friends. Prof. and Mrs. Bynum teach near Haskell. Friday evening, Mrs. Bynum, Mrs. Ownbey and Miss Helen Driskell all went down to Dallas where they were guests in the home of Henry Moore and family. Mrs. Bynum will be remembered as Miss Arles Grace Ownbey, formerly of this city.

Paul Willis of Brownwood spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his sister, Mrs. O. H. Lincoln, and husband in McKinney.

J. C. Byrom Jr., a sophomore student at Texas A. & M. college, is spending the holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Byrom, in this city.

FAMILY DINING ENJOYED AT HOME OF R. O. MELTON

A delightful family reunion and dining was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Melton in the White's Grove community, southwest of McKinney, Thanksgiving day. The sumptuous turkey dinner was prepared and served by their daughter, Miss Marguerite, a student in the Home Economics department of McKinney High school. She was assisted in serving by her friends, Miss Imogene Maynard, and Miss Betty Jo Ray, the latter of McKinney. Twenty-one enjoyed the delicious repast as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John Maynard and daughter, Miss Imogene; and Mrs. Lital Dugger and children, Jimmy and Joe Kenneth; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reinhardt of Fort Worth; Miss Betty Jo Ray of McKinney; Wayne Graves of Altoga; Editor and Mrs. A. A. Bagwill and daughter, Miss Louise, of Plano; Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Bagwill of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Melton and children, Ardell and Miss Marguerite.

BELIEVE RAYBURN TO BE REAL CHOICE FOR SPEAKERSHIP

According to the Washington, D. C., press dispatches, Congressman Sam Rayburn, of this district, is popularly believed in the national capital to be the real choice for speakership of the incoming Congress.

This dispatch says:

As the race for the speakership of the new House turned the back rail today, most observers believed Representatives Byrns of Tennessees and Rayburn of Texas were in the lear, with Bankhead of Alabama pulling far ahead of a field of dark horses.

The terrific pace indicates an early decision, although the actual selection of the winner will not take place until a Democratic caucus Jan. 2.

Campaigning for Byrns, the Democratic leader, and Rayburn, said by some to have support in administration circles, has become intense.

J. T. Gaddy, for the past fifteen years operator of a blacksmith and machine shop in Princeton, is planning to soon move his shop to Farmersville. He is one of East Collin's most widely-known residents.

Mrs. L. D. Oldham of Belcherville, Texas, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in McKinney with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Byrom Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sellers spent Thanksgiving day in Fort Worth.

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(December 1, 1909.)

Fred Horton of the Greenville Banner gave us a fraternal call while in McKinney yesterday.

Capt. J. S. Dowell is now enjoying vegetables from his fall garden that he planted in August.

Rev. M. C. Harris, pastor of the Walnut Grove Cumberland Presbyterian church, and wife gave this paper office a welcome call yesterday.

Mesdames John Church, George Wilcox and H. A. Finch and Miss Nena Smith composed a theater party to Dallas today to witness Robert Mantell in "Romeo and Juliet."

The residence belonging to J. T. Couch on East Colorado street, occupied by W. E. Morelock and wife, was burned about midnight last night. Mr. and Mrs. Morelock barely escaped with their lives from the burning building. The house was a total loss with all contents. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

J. A. and H. A. Alberts and the latter's little son, Claude, of Wylie, attended the poultry show. They called at our office to renew ter their Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription. H. A. is a breeder of Cornish Indian Game and White Indian Game and White Face Spanish chickens. J. A. Alberts is a breeder of Silver Pyramouth Rocks and Silver Spangled Wyandottes.

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One month	.50
Three months	1.35
Six Months	2.25
One year	4.00

DAILY BY MAIL OUT OF TEXAS

One month	$ .50
Three months	1.25
Six months	2.50
One year	5.00

Editorial Expression

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1934.

McKINNEY AND THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT.

McKinney is to be among the vanguard of cities of the state in decorating for the holidays and otherwise emphasizing the Christmas season, so symbolic of joy among children and peace and good will among mankind of all ages. Mayor Joe E. Largent is director of the local Yuletide celebration again this year. Merchants will appropriately decorate their stores early in December. The business section of the city will reflect countless vari-colored, sparkling electric lights and be brightened up by evergreen and other decorations befitting the season. Residents all over the city are asked to also decorate their homes, front porches and yards. This cooperation has been had during previous years. Now that the worst of the depression is behind us and times are steadily getting better, it is expected that more private residences will observe the holiday season by evergreen, electrical and other decorations. A gaily decorated business district, including stores, public buildings does much to accentuate the holiday spirit. It tends to start up Christmas shopping earlier, which is decidedly more satisfactory and economical to both the customer and the merchant. A wide-awake, beautifully decorated town just naturally attracts more people. Sometimes, in these days of good roads and autos, visitors come for many miles just in order to see the holiday decorations and artistic illuminations at night .oodG impressions thereby made attract new business and a better trade for our enterprising merchants. Along with these pre-Christmas preparations should also go unfailing courtesy and friendly spirit towards every stranger and rural patron who comes to McKinney on either business or pleasure bent. Unfailing courtesy, after all, is the very best investment for a town as a whole as well as for the individual.

McKinney should have a Christmas fund contributed by generous-hearted men and women who are able to do so for the purpose of buying Christmas toys for children of the poor of our city and county. Your money could not be put to a greater good than toward making happy, hungry little hearts and stomachs that would otherwise be sad and disappointed if this effort is not put forth to bring them happiness and better health. Some say, "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth." That idea may have some justification. But the main point is to be sure that this holiday philanthropy be done. Help along this line is needed this Christmas, and it should not be, and we believe, will not be neglected by our noble-hearted citizens.

No better region can be found in our entire nation for livestock breeding than right here in old Collin. Every variety of staple and feed crops are grown here. The climate is ideal. Green pasturage can be had practically every month in the year, an advantage that northern and central states do not enjoy. Texas has much idle land fit for nothing else but pasture. Victor H. Schoeffelmayer, agricultural editor of the Dallas News and Semi-Weeekly Farm News is authority for the statement that in three years, Texas farmers will have to replace from 200,000 to 400,000 mules and from 150,000 to 250,000 horses. In the light of these facts, here's a hunch for each one of the more than 6,000 Collin county farms to provide themselves with one or more brood mares and get in line to take advantage of this growing demand.

Papers in every section of Texas are publishing nice editorials about F. Dudley Perkins of this city whom the people of North Texas desire Governor Jimmie Allred to appoint on the Highway Commission. Almost every exchange, coming to this editor's desk, contains laudatory mention of Mr. Perkins. Governor Jimmie would do himself proud, as well as the great people of Texas, should he appoint Mr. Perkins. He is competent, brainy and a graduate of Texas A. & M. College. F. Dud Perkins is a state, county and city builder. There are few men you can find who are as competent as is Mr. Perkins. If he wins, Texas will be winning.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt instituted the annual sale of Christmas seals by the National Tuberculosis Control Association when he was recently presented samples of the new stamps and a desk model of the first sanitorium for the modern treatment of the white plague. The presentation was made in the executive office at the White House with Dr. Francis E. Trudaugh, son of the man who founded the sanitorium movement in the United States, present as a representative of this great humanitarian movement. Every reader should invest in these Christmas seals, even if only for a few cents.

The general level of farm prices, after a market rise from May to September, has declined a little since September 15 when they were at the highest level since December, 1930. On the other hand, the general level of farm wage rates rose three points during the three months ending October 1 to a point of ninety-three per cent of the pre-war average, a position where leaders are desirous of placing all economic standards—and leaving them.

The Chamber of Commerce helps the town. It helps everyone in the town. Quite a few of our citizens belong. Quite a large number do not belong. This is not as it should be. If our Chamber of Commerce membership was doubled, it would greatly help the town. You get your living here and, naturally, you want to do everything you can for the town. It is the best town in Texas and, naturally, if you did not think so, you would move. We are correct, are we not? Certainly! Join the Chamber of Commerce and do your part. Be a town-builder.

Our first white frost and freeze came this fall on the morning of November 23. The frost line, in this section of the state, is close to November 15. Therefore, Collin county's weather man seems to be running closely on his regular schedule. The following morning, the thermometer registered 31 degrees above zero, one-degree above the low season record of the morning before. Many fat porkers in our county were slaughtered during these two days. It is hoped that all of this year's meat supply may be safely cured and stored away for the ensuing year's farm supply.

Farm land is the basic asset of our nation. Now is the time for you to invest in some of the choicest agricultural land of the entire state. It is found right here in Collin at prices even below what they were thirty years ago. This depreciation in farm land values resulted from the five-year blighting depression that is now, thank goodness, passing. Values are already strengthening up. Better invest now and be prepared to profit from improving conditions. It is an opportune time to get a permanent home.

McKinney has a milk products plant that has been successfully operating now for about a year. It maintains several milk routes, extending out from the city and covering a surrounding territory of fifteen to twenty miles. Many farmers are cashing milk checks every week throughout the year that come in mighty handy as a steady little income to supplement proceeds of regular farm crops.

McKinney has six white and one colored schools, with nearly eighty teachers and 2,200 enrolled pupils. These schools rank at the very top in affiliation. McKinney is proud of her efficient public school system. The entire county seems to likewise appreciate them as there are transfer pupils attending them from about fifty other districts.

PRINCETON IS LINED UP FOR BEAUTIFICATION

Princeton has lined up in support of the Texas Centennial.

A well-attended meeting was held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, November 27, at the home of Mayor John K. Wilson, his wife being the chairman of the Centennial Beautification committee of that little East Collin town.

Several men were present, including School Superintendent E. L. Gantt, and they assisted the ladies in their planning to bring about the beautification of Princeton and environs.

The meeting was addressed by Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy of McKinney, county chairman. Other out-of-town women present to talk were the wife of Mayor J. E. Largent of McKinney and Miss Hattie Neathery of Farmersville.

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A. M. Russell, popular McKinney land man and civic and religious leader, who has been suffering from a fractured limb, is improving.

L. L. Kelsay, who formerly lived near Piano, was killed in a Dallas automobile accident recently.

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Congressman C. B. Randell of Sherman mingled with voters on our streets today.

Editor Forrest K. Sneed and bride of the Princeton community spent Sunday with home folks in McKinney.

W. W. Stiff is having a pretty bungalow built on South Chestnut street, near the Wilcox lumber yard.

Hal C. Miller has moved to McKinney with his family from Culleoka. Mighty good man. We gladly welcome him.

Dr. H. M. Smith, optician, has an office over the Interurban ticket office. See his professional card in this paper.

T. J. Taylor of near Weston says that some day he hopes to live in McKinney just in order to get the use of our fine artesian water to drink.

Annual conference of the Southern Methodist church of the North conference adjourned yesterday, at Paris. Rev. J. F. Pierce, presiding elder of the McKinney district for the past three years, was returned for his fourth year. Rev. W. D. Thompson, pastor of the First church, McKinney, during the past year was also returned for another year.

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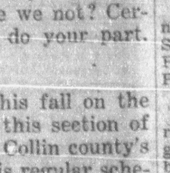

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Ray Hendricks, Farmersville, Tex.
A. E. Betty, Farmersville, Tex.
F. S. Kirby, Farmersville, Tex.
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Collin County Seed Co., McKinney, Tex.
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Pratt Bros., McKinney, Tex.
C. W. Harper, Prosper, Tex.
Buttons Cash Store, Prosper, Tex.
Fowler Brown, McKinney, Tex., R. F. D.
Dalton Cash Gro., Princeton, Tex.
Jessee Bros., Princeton, Tex.
J. M. Moore, Valdasta, Tex.
Doyle Caraway, Desert, Tex.
A. T. Keever, Blue Ridge, Tex.
J. O. Nelson, Blue Ridge, Tex.
A. J. Walker, Blue Ridge, Tex.
Steffey Cafe, Princeton, Tex.
G. A. Press, Blue Ridge, Tex.
Smith & Cooper, Blue Ridge, Tex.
V. C. Miller, Princeton, Tex.
H. G. Butler, Allen, Tex.
Will Barker, Blue Ridge, Tex.
R. A. Brockman, R. F. D., Blue Ridge, Tex.
Lucas & Son, Blue Ridge, Tex.
J. A. Hallon, Piano, Tex.
H. M. Yeager, Plano, Tex.
E. M. McCarley, Westminster, Tex.
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Stewart—55 acres 1 mile S. E. of Verona, good black land, small improvements, rented to A. R. McIntire. Price $1690.

McCorley-McCormick—94 acres 1½ miles S. W. of Blue Ridge, ½ mile E. of highway, good buildings, now rented to M. A. Davenport. Price $3,150.00.

Mahon—51.65 acres 1 mile E. of Westminster, rented to O. W. Holland; good land, fair buildings. Price $2,000.00.

Wilson—282 acres 3 miles N. Princeton on Longneck road; 3 frame houses, 5 large barns, 200 ton Concrete Silo, an ideal combination onion, alfalfa, corn, cotton, wheat, oats and stock farm. Priced right.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Griffith and children, Bernice Rebecca and Mickie, of Fort Worth, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Griffith's mother, Mrs. A. C. Hall, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Martin and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Burrows, are visiting relatives in Houston over the week-end.

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Mrs. E. L. Comar

Diphtheria has been raging in this community.

Several killed hogs in this neighborhood yesterday.

Mrs. Lona Bomar and daughter, Verta Lou, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Vinson.

This community was visited by a good rain Monday and Tuesday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rudoff this week, November 21.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Henry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Winston F. Bomar.

Mrs. W. K. Self has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. W. Shanks, the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Landers visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Thomas several days last week near Altoga.

Dunn Memorial B. Y. P. U. put on a program Sunday night at Weston. Our pastor, Rev. Ross Bourland, preached after the program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Landers spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Reeves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Bomar spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Landers spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byler of Allen.

Mrs. Elmer Bomar attended a birthday dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace's near Wylie, last Sunday. It was Aunt Lizzie Lewis' birthday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Cozad, have turned from Brownwood where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays, attending the activities at Howard Payne College there, of which Dr. Cozad is a member of the board of regents. Among the activities was a banquet at the Brownwood hotel Wednesday evening; special Thanksgiving services and homecoming for ex-students Thursday morning and a football game Thursday afternoon. Dr. Cozad reports that the college won over Southwestern university by a score of 14 to 0. Howard Payne won the conference this year, which record the college has held for several years past.

Judge Lester G. Fant, wife and son, Glen of Holly Springs, Miss.; Mrs. Thornwell Howard of Covington, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fant of Sherman were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Erwin in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sanders, 201 Leland avenue, are rejoicing over the advent of a robust baby boy into their home Tuesday, November 27. Mr. Sanders is one of the efficient city carriers of the McKinney Postal service.

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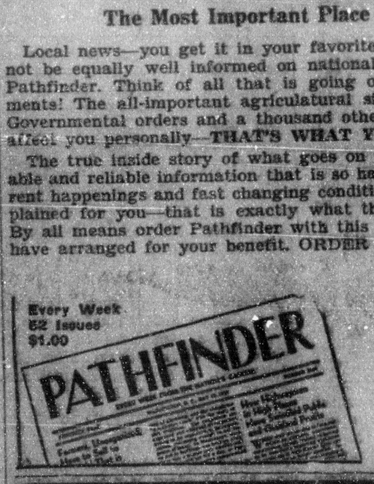

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JOHN W. CARPENTER BELIEVES THAT TEXAS RURAL POPULACE SHOULD BE AIDED AND SERVED

The Dallas Dispatch recently ran the following facts about the business life and interests of John W. Carpenter, president and general manager of the Texas Power & Light company, who has many friends in this city and county as well as in every other county and section of the state.

Mr. Carpenter is a Texas farm-reared boy who has made an outstanding success in business. He is still vitally interested in the farm.

He is looked upon as the soul of honor and the friend of every advance movement for progress and better conveniences for the good of his entire native state.

The Dispatch says, "John W. Carpenter, president and general manager of the Texas Power & Light Co., is also president of the Dallas Railway and Terminal Co. and chairman of the board of the Gulf States Security Life Insurance Co. Mr. Carpenter believes that the future of Texas depend upon the prosperity of the farmers and people living in the rural communities and has therefore spent much of his time and effort looking to increased income for the farmers and better living conditions generally in the rural areas. Mr. Carpenter is interested in farming and ranching. His prized farm holdings include the homestead in Navarro county where he was born and reared. His ranch is on the Northwest highway only a few miles from Dallas where he and his two sons—John Jr., and Ben—are raising Percheron stallions, Hampshire sheep and Hereford cattle. Carpenter jacks and stallions won a total of 13 blue and red ribbons in competitions at the State Fair of Texas just closed. Mr. Carpenter's principal interest in bringing these jacks and stallions here is to encourage the development of better horses and mules on Texas farms and ranches.

Miss Eva McClure, who has been seriously ill at the home of her brother in Clyde, Texas, is improving and expects to return to her home here Sunday. Miss McClure has been attending school at Clyde this fall. Her mother, Mrs. Lon McClure has been attending her bedside and will return to McKinney. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. McClure's son, Von Ray McClure. The latter's wife has been in McKinney spending the past week. She will return to Clyde with her husband.

A daughter was born Thursday night, November 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien who reside near Celina, on the McKinney-Celina pike.

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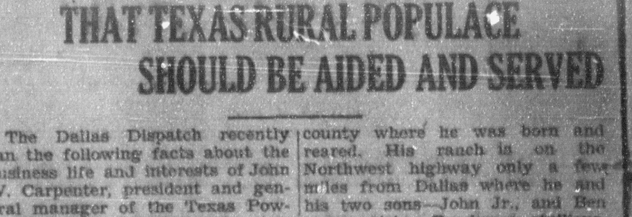

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Francis Harrington, son of County Judge and Mrs. J. Frank Harrington, of McKinney, is at home for a few days' Thanksgiving vacation. He is a junior student at Trinity university where he is a star guard on the Trinity Tiger eleven. He played throughout the game against Austin college Thursday which Trinity won, 13-0. Judge and Mrs. Harrington and young son, Mike; and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Blewett went down and witnessed the game, Francis returning home with them.

Judge R. E. McLaughlin and wife of Channing, Texas, are guests of Rev. G. B. Aairhart and wife, in this city. Judge McLaughlin and wife have recently married and have toured the state on their honeymoon. Mrs. McLaughlin is a niece of Mrs. Airhart. The couple can not make an extended visit in McKinney, as court convenes next Monday and necessitates their being at home on that date.

A daughter was born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Tip Fisher at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Brown, parents of Mrs. Fisher, at Celina.

A. H. Eubanks Jr., student in N. T. S. T. C., at Denton, is home for the Thanksgiving holidays.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(November 27, 1909.)

Miss Ray Poole of Greenville is visiting Miss Fannie Allen and sister.

Mrs. W. L. Boyd has returned from a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Gus Shaw (formerly Mrs. Dr. G. A. Foote) at Texarkana.

Yancy Powell has caught the new sidewalk spirit and is having one built in front of his residence on North Chestnut street.

Prof. Willie Sutherland, teacher of the Enloe school, was a business visitor at our office today.

J. A. Neel, expert paperhanger and painter is advertising his business elsewhere in this paper today.

Yesterday, the Fourth Annual Collin County Poultry show, closed. It was a success from both the standpoints of entries and attendance. Officers of the Poultry association: George Harris, superintendent; G. W. McNeil, Prosper, assistant superintendent; G. M. Alsup, McKinney, secretary; J. W. Hill of Blue Ridge, assistant secretary.

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FARM AGENT IS ROTARY CLUB SPEAKER FRIDAY

County Farm Agent Jack McCullough was presented as speaker before the Rotary club at its Friday noonday luncheon by Loren M. King, program chairman of the day.

Mr. McCullough chose for his subject, "The Agricultural Adjustment Act." Mr. McCullough is very familiar with the subject and in the fifteen minutes he spoke told of the many benefits that the Cotton Adjustment program had been to the cotton growers of the South.

In part, Mr. McCullough said: "In the earlier attempts to control cotton production, farmers who did not cooperate, but increased their acreage and profited from price increases, which had been made possible by the cooperators' acreage reduction. Nonparticipation of large numbers of growers undermined the earlier attempts. Cooperating producers were forced gradually to abandon their plans and return to unrestricted production. The Agricultural Adjustment Act provides for rental and parity payments to compensate the cooperating producer for making his acreage adjustment. This device identifies the individual grower's interest with that of the whole group and makes his cooperation pay him, both directly through payments and indirectly through sale of his crop for the higher price which adjustment brings.

"Besides making it possible through rental payments to obtain a reduction in acreage without sacrifice on the part of the grower, these payments also contribute to the farmer's return for the cotton he produces. The parity payments and, in part the rental payments, should be considered as much a part of the farmer's price as the price he receives on the open market.

"The Bankhead act, enacted by Congress, April 21, 1934, provided for a tax of 50 per cent of the average price of all cotton marketed in excess of ten million 500-pound bales. The purpose was the same as that of the cotton-adjustment program, and the method was supplementary to methods provided by the Adjustment act. The Bankhead act, with this tax provision, undoubtedly influenced producers who otherwise might have withdrawn from the program under the Adjustment act. The Bankhead act discouraged producers who had not signed contracts from panding their acreage so as to profit by the reduction made by other producers. Thus the Bankhead act made it more certain that the desired reduction in national cotton production would be obtained in 1934.

"The administration is primarily local, resting upon the community and county committees chosen by the cotton producers.

"There was an actual supply of 26,000,000 bales in each of the 1931-32 and 1932-33 cotton seasons. Until about four and a half million bales were ployed up in 1933, there was a prospective supply for 1933-34 of about 29,000,000 bales. With the adjustment program, this very large prospective supply was reduced to an actual supply of 24,800,000 bales for the 1933-34 season, and this year's supply is 20,100,000 bales.

"The Cotton Adjustment program has contributed to raising the price paid farmers for their cotton from an average of 6.5 cents per pound for the 1932-33 season to an average of 9.7 cents for the 1933-34 season and to 13.1 cents per pound September 15, 1934. The cottonseed price averaged $31.54 per ton on September 15, 1934, compared with $11.28 on September 15, 1932, and $12.11 on September 15, 1933. Of course, the drought had been a factor in the price rise ,especially in cottonseed, and the government's monetary policy has helped lift farm prices, including that of cotton.

"The farm values of the cotton crop, including lint and cottonseed for the last three years are as follows:

"1932, lint, $435,052,000; seed, $59,880,000; total, $483,912,000.

"1933, lint, $633,266,000; seed, $83,741,000; total, $717,007,000.

1934, lint, $618,516,000; seed, $141,456,000; total, $759,972,000."

Ham Moore Recovered.

Song Leader Ham Moore was back after an absence of two or three weeks on account of illness. He led in singing of several songs with Miss Irene Marley at the piano.

Visitors of the day were: S. A. Adkins of Denton, guest of Frank Cook; Jim Caldwell of Southern Methodist university and Tom Dooley, yell leader of the Aggies, Texas A. & M. college, both guests of Gleson Caldwell.

The ladies of the First Christian church served a splendid dinner of country sausage, chicken pie and many other palatable viands.

PUPILS OF MISS DAVIS PRESENTED AT LIONS CLUB

Lions J. H. Merritt and G. G. McAlexander were the program committee, who presented Miss Carrie Jean Davis who in turn presented five of her pupils in a program of readings, dances and songs, at the regular Wednesday luncheon of the Lions club held in the First Christian church.

Miss Davis, who is one of the city's outstanding dancing and expression teachers, presented the following numbers: tap dance by Mary Betty Miller, Elizabeth Herndon and Opal Raper, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Orenduff. These pupils have a tap trio and also a Hawaiian dance. Henry Myrick Jr. favored the club with a reading and Felix Welmaker Jr. gave a song, followed by an encore. These pupils, who are quite talented, showed they had received splendid training and their program was clever, amusing and most entertaining. The club was delighted with each number.

Guests of the day were Henry R. Wilson and Tom L. Miller of Irving, guest of Lion Minor Bounds; Harry Alexander of Dallas guest of Lion Hansford Ray and Elzie Woods guest of Secretary Graves.

The ladies served a delightful menu which was suggestive of a regular Thanksgiving feast. All visitors expressed their delight at being present.

LUCAS

Miss Tressye Spurgin

Muss Ruth Daffron spent the week-end wit hhome folks.

Bro. Hedges preached at the Baptist church here Sunday.

Ed Coffey spent Saturday night with his parents.

Evelyn Gunter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Cappie Gunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pharr spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Graham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albue Ballew.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Wilmeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Biggs and children of Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Berry Biggs and family this past week.

The ladies of this community pieced and quilted a quilt this past week to send to Buckner Orphans' home, for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Maud Heifner, a member of the Lucas Grove, No. 414, has received a service pin recently for being financial secretary of her Grove for the past twenty years. She states the time has been short and she appreciates the prizes very much.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Riffe had a family reunion Sunday, November 18. All of their children were together for the first time. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Riffe and children, Roy Riffe, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Riffe, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Riffe and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riffe, Lowell Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Epps and children, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Drake and daughters of McKinney; J. H. Riffe and son, Jerry, of Los Angeles, California; Frankin Bowman Marcella Don and Adenia uth. Riffe, all at home. Others guests of the day were: Hester Combs, Nedra and Curtis Housewright, Fred Duncan of Wylie, Eugene Deal of McKinney; Ralph Boyd Bedell of Lovejoy, Lois Copus, Lucas.

Our old friend, T. T. Phillips, 1111 North Church street, continues bedfast on account of a weak back. He was eighty-five years old in September and was left alone by the death of his dear old wife which occurred a few months ago. Mr. Phillips has just heard from the family of his daughter, Mrs. Alta Morris, Los Angeles, California, who remains in a very critical condition. She has been a sufferer from high blood pressure for several months and a few days ago was stricken unconscious oy that affliction.

Mrs. W. W. Ransom, who recently underwent an operation in St. Paul's hospital, Dallas, is still confined to that institution, but is showing improvement.

Miss Cathryn Duncan, daughter of Hon. Fred Duncan of Wylie, was a McKinney visitor Saturday and graced the McKinney post office with a short, genial visit. Her mother is postmistress at Wylie.

REV. S. D. LINDSEY IS PASTOR OF NORTH BAPTIST

Rev. S. D. Lindsey, wife and children, Pauline, Oleta, Frances and Ogla Mae, have moved to McKinney where Rev. Mr. Lindsey has accepted the call as pastor of the North Baptist church. He succeeds Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, who was recently appointed Baptist missionary for Collin county.

Rev. Lindsey made a most pleasant visit to the office of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette office to see J. B. Wilson, who conducts a rental agency, and who fixed him up with a nice cottage at 602 West Lamar street. He also ordered the Daily Courier-Gazette sent to his home. Rev. Lindsey says he always likes to take his home town paper to keep abreast of happenings. We gladly welcome this fine family into our midst and trust they will be happy in their new surroundings.

300 FAT GOATS FOR FAMILIES ON RELIEF ROLLS

According to County Administrator H. B. Bickers, the Collin County Relief Board, has received a shipment of 300 fat goats for slaughter for meat for needy families on the relief rolls.

Mr. Bickers states that a live goat is given to the relief client for him to slaughter for the meat, which is a very nourishing food. The relief board requires the pelt to be returned to it for such use as it sees fit to put it to.

A representative of these papers on a visit to the Collin County Relief readquarters on North Kentucky street Friday morning noted that Mr. Bickers and his efficient staff of helpers were being besieged by quite a crowd of applicants for relief, all of whom were being given courteous hearings and consideration as best could be rendered after their respective cases had been stated and looked into.

Mr. Bickers is a young business man seemingly with special aptitude for meeting the requirements of the important position that he occupies in administering help that so many good people of our city and county find themselves in real need of on account of unemployment, sickness or for other reasons.

WOMEN'S CHURCH SOCIETIES AT ANNA DOING FINE WORK

The Women's church societies of Anna have been busily engaged in some fine work during the past few days. The Women's Missionary society of the Christian church of that North Collin town met Monday and packed thirty-six pounds of teacakes to be sent this week to the Fowler Orphans home.

The Baptist woman's union met Monday with 22 present, Mrs. Roy Shelton leading a devotional lesson and Mrs. A. W. Powell conducting mission study. A box valued at $36 was sent to Buckner Orphans home, along with a cash offering. The society voted to improve the church lawn by planting shrubs and flowers.

Mrs. A. W. Powell, president, was presented with a quilt as a surprise from the members. A period was spent in quilting.

'BABY FACE' NELSON DIES; WAS PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1

Police Wednesday discovered the naked, bullet-riddled body of George (Baby Face) Nelson, regarded as Public Enemy No. 1, was found Wednesday near Chicago in a ditch, a tribute to the unerring aim of two Federal agents who gave their lives to bring down the desperado.

Federal agents said his blanket wrapped form was abandoned by his wife and a man believed to be Alvin Karpis, St. Paul gangster wanted for the kidnaping of Edward G. Bremer, after a battle between the outlaw and Department of Justice men.

The Federal men slain by Nelson were Inspector Samuel P. Cowley, who died in a hospital early Wednesday, and Herman E. Hollis, both credited with the deaths of John Dillinger and Charles (Pretty Boy) Floyd. Nelson also had been identified as the murderer of W. Carter Baum, Federal agent, in a raid on a Dillinger gang hideout at Little Bohemia Inn, in Wisconsin, last April.

Fingerprints established the identity of the body, found in a ditch at Niles Center. Police relayed the information to the Department of Justice.

Jailer Stoney Allen has gone to Del Rio for several days' recuperation visit. His son, Tom, drove him through the country. Mr. Allen has been quite ill for some two weeks and his many friends will be pleased to learn that he is now recovering and hope that his rest and recreation at Del Rio will greatly benefit him. He will be gone some ten days

HIGHLANDERS DEFEAT LIONS IN MUD BATTLE

Playing on a rain-soaked field, with the downpour leaving puddles of water here and there, the Highland Park Highlanders and the McKinney High Lions set some kind of a scoring record for a mud game here Thursday afternoon as the Scotties overcame the local Jungle Kings by a score of 31-14.

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The victory gave the Kilties their second consecutive District 6 championship, entitling them to enter the state play-off. Rain fell throughout most of the game.

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Scots Score Early.

The game, which was witnessed by some 2,000 or more fans, had barely begun before the Scots had a touchdown on some fine end running by Billy Bob Thomason, fleet Highlander half. Behind superby blocking, Thomason rounded the McKinney ends on three successive plays for 55 yards and a touchdown. Goal was missed. In less than two minutes more he had another on a 35 yard gallop, and the score stood 12-0.

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Lions Use Aerial Attack.

Here, McKinney's aerial attack came into view again and with Jack Odle on the throwing end, the Lions drove to the 22-yard line where Odle passed a short one to Leo Crockett and the big McKinney halfback stiff-armed his way across. Adair's extra point kick bounced off the crossbar.

The Highlanders scored again near the half on a beautiful 55-yard sprint by Corky Cornelius. The half found McKinney on the Highlanders 20-yard line vainly passing for a touchdown.

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Crockett's 82-Yard Run.

The Scotties turned loose another barrage of long end runs in the third quarter for two more scores with Captain Ollie Crenshaw and Robert Berry pounding over from the 2-yard line on both scores. They were headed for another touchdown and had the ball on McKinney's 1-yard line when one of the weirdest plays in football bobbed up. Cornelius pounded into right tackle, the wet ball slipping out of his arms squarely into the arms of Leo Crockett, who carried it from five yards back of his own goal to the Highlanders 23 before Cornelius finally brought him down.

The Lions failed to score but blocked a kick and finally Odle got a firm hold on the slippery ball and passed to Adair who carried to the Scot 2-yard line. Crockett went over in two tries. McKinney's extra two points came when Cornelius let the ball get away from him behind his own goal on an attempted punt in the third quarter and finally recovered for a safety for the Lions.

Despite the wet field and the slipery ball, the Lions' aerial attack functioned brilliantly, while the Highlanders relied on sweeping end runs.

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McKinney Stars.

The Lions fought harder than at any time during the year, every man turning in a great game. In the backfield Leo Crockett, Captain Carroll Adair and Jack Odle played a good game. In the line Parris Wheatley, a charging guard, playing his final game; big George Holland, tackle; and Bruce Moreland, end, turned in fine performances. Elbert Roberts also did well at end.

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Cornelius Stars.

Cornelius 'stole the show' for the Highlanders. The big Scot back, who is making a strong bid for all-state honors was cool-headed, swift and excellent in all department of play.

Highland Park never resorted to the passing game, not a Scot pass being thrown.

And, thus, ended the "come back" year in McKinney High's football history which showed without a doubt, local fans say, that things are on the upturn here and that McKinney's passing attack is still without a peer in Texas High school circles.

C. J. Smith, proprietor of the big C. J. Smith automobile agency, garage and paint shop in this city, located on East Louisiana street, is having the entire roof of this big plant reroofed. Tom Faires has the contract. A new rubberoid products roof is being put on.

While Jimmie Belden was attending the wrestling match at the city coliseum Thursday night, petty thieves ransacked his automobile parked in front of the Ritz theater, helping themselves to quite a few article Jimmie had in his "Tin Lizzie."

Homer W. Wilson, who has been ill for the past three weeks is some improved in condition. His friends will be glad to learn that he will soon be up and about again in a few days.

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THANKSGIVING IS OBSERVED IN FITTING MANNER

A cold rain, which fell almost continuously throughout the day, failed to dampen the ardor of Thanksgiving observance for McKinney and Collin county citizens Thursday as they returned thanks for a year of blessings.

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Business in the city was at a standstill, local merchants closing their doors in observance of the holiday. The banks, post office as well as city and county offices were closed for the day.

The fitting reverent touch was added at the union Thanksgiving church services held at the Central Presbyterian church in the morning with Dr. H. G. Ryan, pastor of the First Methodist church, bringing a splendid sermon. There was an excellent supporting program of music that added to the service.

In the afternoon, after appetizing dinners in almost every home in the city, hundreds of local citizens braved the inclement weather to trek out to Newsome field where a hard-fought football game was played between the McKinney High Lions and the Highland Park Highlanders. In the evening an enjoyable dance was given by the Hill Crest Country club at their fine clubhouse, south of the city. The inclement weather caused many to stay at home, sitting before warm fires, and enjoying the day reading and listening to radio programs.

The needy of the city were remembered with baskets of food and fruit dispensed by those more fortunate, who always make it a point on Thanksgiving to make these offerings to those underprivileged.

The theaters were well patronized during the afternoon and night, all reporting excellent good-sized crowds.

Family reunions were the order of the day in many homes. While a few local citizens were out of town for the day with relatives or friends, many local citizens entertained for out-of-town relatives and friends.

McKinney Baptists are well represented at the B. T. S. convention.

Several teachers, including Superintendent Jack R. Ryan and Prof. N. C. Smart, principal of the L. A. Scott Junior High school, of this city, are in Galveston for the State Teachers association meeting.

J. J. Hartsell, well-known Farmersville resident, celebrated his 85th birthday recently. Mr. Hartsell was born in London in 1849, but came to this country when he was 21 years old. He followed the vocation of a horticulturist. He received many good wishes and congratulations from his wide circle of friends on his birthday anniversary.

Prof. N. C. Smart, principal of the L. A. Scott Junior High school, and wife have returned home from Galveston, where Prof. Smart attended the Texas State Teachers meeting. He especially enjoyed the several Junior High school sessions held during the state meeting. Prof. and Mrs. Smart also visited friends in Houston during their absence from McKinney.

Little Miss Margaret Lou Alice Kerby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Kerby, is spending the week-end in Dallas, guest of Sarah Pool, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pool Jr., 722 Huntly street. The Pool family recently moved to Dallas from McKinney.

Mrs. F. A. Ray, wife of Dr. Ray, pastor of the Wilson Street Methodist church, has been confined to her home with illness the past week. She is improving Saturday.

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FARMERSVILLE CENTENNIAL FORCES BUSY AT WORK UNDER LEADERSHIP OF MRS. J. B. HONAKER, CHAIRMAN

By invitation, Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy, county chairman, attended an important meeting of the Farmersville Centennial committee Monday night, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Honaker. Mrs. Honaker is chairman for the Farmersville precinct and is busy working at her job. Mrs. Lovejoy was accompanied by Miss Pauline Hughes, local manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

The occasion was largely attended by both men and women.

Mrs. Lovejoy was the principal speaker, making an earnest appeal for East Collin to rally to the Centennial call for beautification of our homes, schools, churches, parks and highways. She commended Mrs. Honaker for her zeal as a Farmersville chairman. Mrs. Honaker has organized her forces in a business-like way that has enlisted every group.

Those present representing the P.-T. A. were: Prof. N. O. Wright, superintendent of city schools; Mrs. Finis Kerby, Mrs. L. Glass, Mr. G. Jones.

Culture club—Mrs. Gaynell, Mrs. Etta Cox, Mrs. Oscar Carlisle, Mrs. Eldridge Pendleton.

Junior Ingleside—Mrs. Mary E. Henslee.

Ingleside club—Mrs. Davis, Mrs. R. Carnes, Mrs. Hendricks, Mrs. R. Carpenter.

Baptist Missionary society—Miss Mary Hubbard, Mrs. W. Long, Mrs. R. A. Davis.

Christian church—Rev. Oliphant, Mrs. J. H. Johnston, Coleman Jennings.

Methodist Missionary society—Mrs. Wes Neathery, Mrs. Robert Holsonbake, Mrs. Milburn Honaker.

Social Workers—Mrs. D. M. Dyer, Miss Opal Spain.

Junior Chamber of Commerce—Clifford Crapenter, Earl Mason, H. H. Sandel, Pat Honaker.

All pledged their united efforts in systematically beautifying Farmersville as a city and helping to beautify the highways leading through that part of the county.

Lovely refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Lovejoy stated that the time is ripe and opportunity golden to do something in preparation for the Centennial that will be of permanent benefit to Farmersville and that part of the county for years to come. She stated that each group represented at this rally of Centennial forces at the Honaker home, pledged themselves to be up and doing to that end. It was one of the most enthusiastic Centennial meetings that Mrs. Lovejoy has attended.

County Attorney-Elect H. H. Neilson witnessed the Texas university-Texas A. & M. college football contest, at Austin, Thanksgiving. Mr. Neilson is a graduate of the State university and a member of the undefeated Longhorn football team of 1914. The picture of this noted team was reproduced in the Dallas News in a recent issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Travillion announce the arrival of a sweet baby girl at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Travillion, 519 North Kentucky street, Sunday, November 25. This is their second daughter. Sara Ann, another daughter, will be four years old in December.

Hog killing recently has been the order of the day, the weather being fine. Considerable fresh hog meat, spare ribs and backbones and good country sausage is on the market. Yet, some people say we do not live in good old Collin county. We do.

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BURROW
Mrs. W. W. Wright, cor.

Wheat and fall oats are looking fine.

Jack Davis spent Saturday week with Wilmot Wright.

Irby Lee Campbell visited J. V. Reed Sunday morning.

The farmers are greatly rejoiced over the fine rains of the last week.

W. W. Wright who took very suddenly ill last Saturday night is now able to sit up some.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wright visited their uncle, W. W. Wright Wednesday afternoon.

Merle (Buster) Houser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ashburn Houser of Josephine and nephew of A. B. Ecuser of this community was very critically injured in an auto accident on the Dallas highway near Royse City Friday afternoon. He was rushed to a Greenville hospital where last reports are that his condition is very serious.

Louis Wright visited the bedside of his brother, W. W. Wright Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Gray and Mrs. Anna Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Douglas spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Huguley and Miss Beraldyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Anderson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson and little son, Dwayne.

Several have butchered their hogs and put them on cold storage. On account of high-priced feed, it is expensive to keep them after they are already fat.

Miss Beraldyne Huguley spent Thursday night in Royse City with her aunt, Miss Josie Huguley.

Erwin Shook and sister, Marie, spent Monday night in Royse City with their aunt, Miss Josie Huguley.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCaskill and Miss Opal spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Greenville with relatives.

Misses Alma and Patsy Eubanks spent the week-end with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loftis, at Royse City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton were Greenville visitors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Eddy and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Eugene Eddy, of Josephine, visited Mrs. W. W. Wright Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams and little daughter, Rojean, were visiting in Greenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Eubanks and family visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Myers, at Josephine Friday night.

Miss Bessie Weems of Commerce has returned to her home after a visit with her brother, C. B. Hays, and other relatives here.

A large number of Burrow citizens attended the pageant at the Royse City High school last Thursday and Friday night week. Miss Charline Mays, charming daughter of C. B. Mays was Burrow's princess. Her maid-of-honor was Miss Leona Mae Crowell. Misses Barsldyne Huguley and Anna Lula Anderson were maids to other princesses. These lovely young ladies never looked more charming than on this occasion. We contraguiate Charline on winning in the princess contest, over the large number of others. The prize was a lovely oil painting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Eubanks honored their daughter, Alma, on her birthday Thursday week with a six o'clock dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Myers of Josephine, grandparents of the honoree; Misses Frances and Lois Mariel Eddleman, Lena Florence Young, Mary Ruth Carr, Patsy and Betty Jo Eubanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Payne went to Kaufman to see their aunt, Mrs. Ellen Mays of Royse City, who has been visiting her fine new grandson, the two weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Mays of Timpson, Louisiana.

MORELAND
Mrs. H. M. Umphress

Aron White spent Monday night with Tom Umphress.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McCarley spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCarley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hollis spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestige.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestige spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hollis.

Mrs. D. A. James spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Irvine of Desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Curtis and family have been visiting relatives in Louisiana for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCormick and son of New Hope spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. John spent Thursday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hollis, and family of Leonard.

Mrs. Bob McCarley is attending the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Ira Dodson, at Bells.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smoot were Mr. and Mrs. Alva John of Frognot and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Smoot of Callis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bellows and daughter, Mrs. Gerald Umphress, were shopping in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pruitt spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Truitt, and family of Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goforth and family spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hollis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestige and son, Billie Jean, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Riddle and family of Desert.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Press of Mesquite spent Saturday night and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Maye and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Richardson of White Rock spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. John and daughter, Oleta, spent Sunday afternoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt John, and family.

FRISCO
MRS. W. B. STALEY, Cor.

The fellowship supper at the Woodman hall Tuesday evening, which was sponsored by the Woman's Missionary society and supported by the entire Methodist church, has been pronounced a happy success.

Covers were laid for one hundred and fifty. All tickets were sold far in advance. The calls for more could not be met for lack of room. Turkey with its trimmings, cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie gave the Thanksgiving color to the tempting plates.

H. L. McConnell was master of ceremonies and furnished fun throughout the evening by his original pranks and jokes. The program began with the audience singing "America the Beautiful" with Mrs. Claude Clarke at the piano. Rev. S. W. Miller delivered the Thanksgiving invocation.

Music was furnished by Rev. Mr. Ben Bells, self-styled "fiddle band" whose players, J. W. Gordon, M. T. Medlock, Buster Meadows, Boss Moore, Floyd Gaby and Meredith Tarpley.

One of the principal speakers of the evening was Walter B. Wilson, McKinney postmaster and editor of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette of that city. Mr. Wilson for years has been an active worker in church and civic affairs and "fits in" on an occasion like this as few men do. He has a host of friends at Frisco who are always glad to welcome him here and who enjoyed hearing him on this occasion. Mr. Wilson spoke of his long and intimate friendship with some of the families whose members were among the founders of the old Bethel church which he spoke of as mother church of the Frisco church.

Rev. Minor Bounds, presiding elder of the McKinney district, made an interesting talk. He expressed appreciation for the people of Collin county, stating that he was reared in the eastern part of the county. His recent duties as presiding elder have brought him in touch with the Frisco church and he is fast forming friendships in its membership. These with other friends heard him gladly on this occasion.

Others who made short talks were W. B. Fletcher, A. P. Rogers, Postmaster D. B. Shrader, Rev. Ben Bell and Mrs. W. B. Staley, all local Frisco people. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Bell, who is serving his second year as pastor of the Frisco church.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT
To Whom It May Concern:

Whereas J. H. Giles, deceased, was for so many years a member and an official of this, the First M. E. church, South, in Westminster, Texas, and because our daily association with him so greatly emphasized his interest in the Kingdom of God, we, the undersigned officials of the aforementioned church, take this method of offering our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family, sorrowing with them in so great a loss, and yet rejoicing with them in our sincere knowledge of the reward that beckoned to "Uncle Ham" from the hands of the Saviour he loved and followed. The secretary of this church is hereby directed to file a copy of this resolution on the permanent records, to deliver another to the family of the deceased, and to send a third to a local paper for publication.

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Sup't of S. S.

Mrs. P. R. Westmoreland and Mrs. R. H. Kilgore are visiting in Dallas Monday.

H. B. Bickers, administrator of the Collin County Federal and State Relief board, with headquarters on North Kentucky street, this city, is attending a district meeting of relief workers at Decatur, Texas, today (Monday). He was accompanied by Miss Lucy Joplin. Merritt Braswell and Beverly Robinson, all attaches, holding important posts in his organization.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Adair entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner at their home, 301 East Hunt street. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adair and children, Jeanette and C. J., of this city; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Adair and son, Joe Dan, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Yates and children, Jerry and Paul Thomas, of Fort Worth; Chick Adair of Gunter; Cecil Adair of Gunter; Carroll Adair of McKinney; Miss Mary McCoy of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Forbs and son Harry of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughan of Dallas; Miss Virgie Shewmake of Muskogee, Okla.; Mr. Bolenger of Dallas.

BLYTHE'S CHAPEL
Miss Corinne Hinsley

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Scott spent Monday with Mrs. Virgil White.

Aunt Het Peace spent Friday with Mrs. Pete Enloe.

Ernest Massey was in Dallas Saturday.

Roy Biggs has purchased a Model A car recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knight spent a portion of last week with her parents in McKinney.

Miss Geneva Talbot has returned to her home in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gooch and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gooch and family.

Rev. Ernest Massey filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night at Clearlake.

Mrs. Scalf and children of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Enloe last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Copus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Copus and family.

Miss Lorrene Morrow spent a few days visiting Miss Leuna Snider last week.

Ernest Massey spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Massey of Dump.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cannady and family of Bishop spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Griff Dickerson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Cooley of Lovejoy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Snider and daughter, Miss Leuna.

Ward Timmons has closed a successful singing school at Foote, located a few miles west of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gray and family of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hinsley and daughter, Correne, were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. White Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Spurgin and Orval of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Spurgin and family Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gantt and children, Shirley Anne, and Sonny Boy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gantt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Spurgin and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Copus visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Funderburg and family of Higgins Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. White and daughter, Omie Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Connie Lee Holmes and daughter, Patrician, spent Saturday visiting relatives in Josephine.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morrow and sons, Walter Glen and Jerry Ray, spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harvell.

Prof. and Mrs. Murray L. Pirtle and year-old baby son, Alwyn, of Crandall, Texas, were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. Pirtle's father, W. L. Watkins, and family. They also visited in the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. S. Smith.

Prof. and Mrs. Leland Davenport and baby son, Charles Leland of Kingsville, Texas, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Davenport's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Graves, in this city. Prof. Davenport has returned to Kingsville, but his wife and baby are prolonging their visit until after Christmas. Mrs. Davenport will be remembered as Miss Melba Graves before her marriage.

WARDEN
Cor. Mrs. Geo. Medcalf

Mrs. Jewell Person spent one day last week with her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Colson, here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf spent last Sunday night with their mother, Mrs. Dan Rollins, near Celina.

We had a good rain Monday, which will be a great help to land and grain. Several wells were out of water.

Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Holland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones and daughter spent Friday night at Gunter visiting their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mrs. S. A. Colson of Warden has returned home after several weeks spent with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray of Morris, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Gray of Morris, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones and daughter were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf Sunday night.

Those who visited Mrs. Mabel Selph and children Friday night awhile and played "42" were Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and children of Van Alstyne, Mr. and Mrs. George Medcalf, Bill Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Gray and Paul Phillips.

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Miss Opal Thomas, an accomplished young lady of Waco, is visiting Miss Sally Dowell.

S. P. Coffey is having his residence on South Wilcox street extensively remodeled and improved.

Dr. J. C. Coffey of Vera, Knox county, sends his check for $4.00 to pay for the Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for a year in advance. Thanks.

Mrs. Hilary Ball of Greenville and little daughter, Katherine, are visiting at the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ball, in this city.

Mrs. G. W. Fox and little daughter, Maud, have returned from Milford college, where they visited their daughter and sister, Miss Grace Fox, a student of that institution.

Annual conference at Paris, with Bishop Joseph Key presiding, has appointed the following on the McKinney district: Presiding Elder J. Foster Pierce; Anna circuit, S. T. Francis, pastor; Allen circuit, Rev. O. E. Moreland; Blue Ridge circuit, Rev. A. P. Saffold; Celina station, Rev. J. F. Holmes; Farmers Branch and Carrollton, Rev. E. E. Pritchett; Farmersville station, Rev. F. O. Miller; Frisco station, Rev. L. A. Burke; Josephine circuit, Rev. H. H. Goode; McKinney First church, Rev. W. D. Thompson; Nevada station, Rev. J. F. Archer; Piano station, Rev. C. B. Fladger; Prosper circuit, Rev. J. T. Bloodworth; Princeton circuit, Rev. J. W. Blackburn; Rennet circuit, Rev. S. B. Buck; South McKinney and Wilbur's Grove, Rev. N. R. Stone; Weston circuit, Rev. W. D. Bayless; White circuit, Rev. L. A. Hughes.

New Magnolia Station Opened

The new Magnolia filling station at the corner of South Tennessee and East Davis streets, one of the prettiest station in the city, was opened this (Saturday) morning with John Van Slyke of Dallas as manager and Woodrow (Stormy) Davis and E. B. Freeman as assistants.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Slyke have moved to McKinney where Mrs. Van Slyke formerly lived, being, before her marriage, Miss Mary Frank Lewis. The couple are residing on West Tucker street.

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W. C. (Bill) Brinlee, a real estater of Westminster, was a McKinney business visitor Friday.

Miss Mary Morris returned to Denton Monday, after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her father, George Morris, in this city. She attends C. I. A. in Denton.

Dr. W. A. Wall and wife, nee Sallie Stiff, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, are visiting at the home of the latter's niece, Mrs. Tip Purnell and husband and other McKinney relatives. Mrs. Wall is a sister of Jack and Oll Stiff. She was born and reared here.

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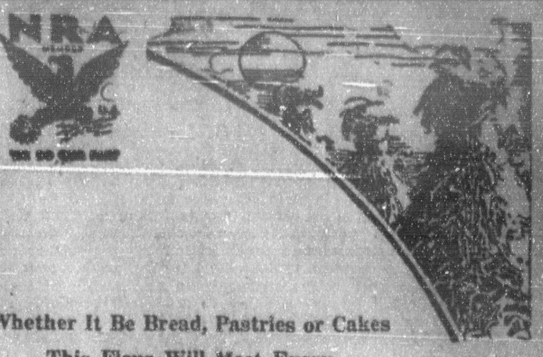

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Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ceman Lacy, Miss Rachel Wheatley and W. A. Lindley visited in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bice of Sulphur Springs were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Hall in this city.

Miss Mary Frank Blackwell has returned to C. I. A. in Denton after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackwell.

Mrs. Frank W. Emerson arrived home Sunday from a three days very pleasant visit to the home of her brother-in-law, Henry Emerson, and wife in Fort Worth.

Fred James Jernigan, teacher at Redmond Chapel has returned to Austin from Galveston where he attended the Texas State Teachers meeting.